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GUILTY OF CONTEMPT

Supreme Court Will Sentence Six Tennessee Men Next Tuesday.

CONSPIRACY IN LYNCHING

Sheriff, Deputy and Four Residents Held Responsible by Court—Failed to Protect Negro—Interesting Decision.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 24.—For the first time in so serious a case, the Supreme Court of the United States will, on next Tuesday week undertake to mete out punishment for the crime of contempt of the court itself and the importance of the occasion will be enhanced by the number of the defendants.

The proceeding will take place in connection with the cases of Sheriff Shipp and Deputy Sheriff Gibson, of Hamilton county, Tenn, and of four other residents of that county, Williams, Nolan, Padgett and May. These men were declared by the court it be guilty of an act of contempt in combining in March 1905, in a conspiracy to lynch a negro, Ed Johnson, who had been sentenced to death by the local courts on the charge of rape, and in whose case the Supreme Court had interferred to the extent of granting an appeal which had the effect of a supersedeas. On the night following the announcement of the court's action Johnson was taken out of the jail in Chattanoga by a mob and lynched. There was no resistance on the part of the jail authorities and Shipp and a number of deputies as well as about twenty citizens, were proceeded against on the charge of contempt of the Federal court.

The case has been pending ever since and the number of defendants was from time to time reduced to nine. Of these nine, three were today found guiltless, while the other six were ordered to be brought into court next Tuesday week for sentence.

They will be taken into custody immediately and will appear in court in charge of Marshil Wright. The sentence may be either fine or imprisonment, or both.

The case is regarded as of exceptional interest because it is practically the first time that this, the highest court in the United States, has ever undertaken to assert its dignity or to resent acts or words reflecting upon it.

SUICIDE IN SURRY COUNTY.

Young Traveling Man Sent Bullet Through Brain.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charlotte, N. C., May 24.—Upon receiving a farewell letter from his sweetheart Friday last, John Hill, a young traveling representative of a Chattanooga, Tenn., medicine company, left his hotel at Kapps Mill, a remote town in the mountains of Surry county, went to the bank of the river and sent a bullet through his brain, dying almost instantly. He was a native of Siloam, N. C., and a member of a well known family.

FIVE VICTIMS OF FLOOD

Heavy Rains Result Serious For Northern Oklahoma—Tornado.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 24.—Five persons are dead, at least ten seriously injured, several acres of crops are inundated and every stream in the northern and eastern part of Oklahoma is raging as a result of heavy rains during the last 24 hours. A number of houses were washed away.

OUTLINES.

Free lumber was handed a knockout blow in the Senate yesterday, Mr. McCumber's amendment to the tariff bill placing lumber, a commodity, on the free list, being defeated by a vote of 25 to 56——No trains were run on the Georgia Railroad on account of the strike, but there was hope of settlement last night and a conference will be held for that purpose today——Sheriff Shipp, Deputy Sheriff Gibson and four other residents of Hamilton county, Tenn., were declared to be guilty of contempt of the Supreme court of the United States in combining in a conspiracy to lynch a negro named Johnson——The American Association of Automobile Manufacturers meet in annual session at Hot Springs, Va., yesterday——Exceptions of Cardenio F. King, a former North Carolinian, convicted of larceny and embezzlement, have been overruled by the Supreme court and he will be compelled to go to prison——At the session of the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church yesterday, a protest was filed against three representatives of the Synod of Kentucky. ——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 1- 2to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-2 to 2, closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4. Spot cotton quiet, 11.65. Flour firmer with demand quiet. Wheat strong, No. 2 red 1.45 nominal elevator. Corn firm, No. 2, 85 elevator, 81 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Oats strong, mixed 63. Turpentine and rosin quiet.

EFFORTS TO SETTLE STRIKE

Both Sides Appeal to Board of Mediation—Trouble on Georgia Railroad Not Up—Conference.

Library of Congress

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., May 24.—Hope for settlement of the strike of firemen on the Georgia railroad tonight centers on the visit tomorrow of Commissioner of Labor Charles P. Neill, who is coming from Washington.

Governor Smith today proposed arbitration by a commission of Georgians. The firemen accepted, but the railroad did not. Manager Scott, of the Georgia Railroad, informed Governor Smith that he would be present tomorrow to confer with Mr. Neill.

The danger that the strike may spread to other railroads became serious today, when Vice President Ball, of the firemen's organization, said that diversion of the Georgia Railroad's freight business to other roads would cause the firemen of these roads to vote on whether they would accept diverted freight.

Preparations are under way by Postoffice officials to establish an automobile mail service between Union Point and Athens, Ga.

No trains were run today. No further acts of violence were reported today.

Situation at Augusta.

Augusta, Ga., May 24.—Thomas K. Scott, general manager of the Georgia Railroad, left here at 8:40 P. M. for Atlanta, to meet National Commissioner of Labor Neill.

Mr. Scott has replied to Governor Hoke Smith, who proposed a board of arbitration of Georgians, and the Augusta Chamber of Commerce, who today again offered its good offices, that it would be out of place to consider other officers of mediation or arbitration pending the action that may be taken by Commissioner Neill.

The railroad authorities assert that they are informed that the crowds of angry citizens of Thomson, Camack and other points are still in bellicoso attitude. No effort is being made to run trains, the road simply standing pat and saying they are ready to operate when law and order is restored. The strikers also are standing pat. They are orderly. It is their sympathizers along the line of road, who are preventing the operation of trains by violence to negro and non-union firemen. There is a large number of strike-breakers here and at other points on the road.

Commissioner Neill to Atlanta.

Washington, May 24.—Commissioner of Labor Neill left tonight for Atlanta, appeals having been made to the Federal Board of Mediation to settle the strike of firemen on the Georgia Railroad. Dr. Neill and Chairman Martin A. Knapp of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, the other member of the board of mediation under the Erdman Act held a conference today relative to the strike.

By both sides to the controversy appeal to the board was made.

General Manager Scott, of the Georgia, telegraphed Chairman Knapp that the officers of the road would be glad to have the Board of Mediation use its efforts to settle the trouble. Telegrams also were received by the board from persons representing the striking firemen indicating their willingness to have the board take up the matter.

It was decided that Dr. Neill should confer at Atlanta with representatives of both sides. It is quite likely that Dr. Neill may go from Atlanta to Augusta.

It has not been determined definitely that the Board of Mediation will undertake formally the adjustment of the controversy as the members are not satisfied that it comes within the purview of the Wordman law. That act provides that the board may enter upon the settlement of controversies involving wages, hours of labor, regulations and conditions of labor.

It is not unlikely that Chairman Knapp may join Dr. Neill in the South. Officials of the Postoffice Department are inclined to take a somewhat more hopeful view of the situation on the Georgia Railroad, as the result of official advices from Augusta.

SANFORD UNION DEPOT

Hearing Yesterday Before The Corporation Commission—Conditions.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 24.—That the present depot at Sanford is so filthy water would not clean it, was the declaration of D. L. Chisholm, mayor of the town, today before the Corporation Commission in the suit of citizens of Sanford for a union passenger station to be provided. He and other witnesses claimed the buildings were entirely inadequate and incapable of improvement. A big delegation of citizens came up from Sanford for the hearing. Officials of the Seaboard Air Line, Southern, and Atlantic Coast Line, the latter by George B. Elliott, were here opposing any order for a new union station but offering to enlarge and refit the present building. The Commission has as yet made no order in the case.

June 1st.

All deposits made with The People's Savings Bank, now will draw 4 per cent. Compound Interest from June 1st. Why not open an account with this growing bank. You will find them conveniently located at corner of Front and Princess streets. ma 25-2t.

NO FREE LUMBER

Senate Overwhelmingly Votes Down Senator McCumber's Amendment.

BIG VOTE FOR PROTECTION

Northwestern Senators Wanted Canada Lumber to Come in Without Paying Duty— Predicts Downfall of Party.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 24.—No single piece of lumber was ever used more effectually as a see-saw by children than was the great lumber industry today by the United States Senate.

The lumber schedule of the tariff bill was under consideration almost the entire day, with Senators Root, Heyburn, Borah and Dolliver contending on the one hand for a protection for the industry, and Senators Clapp, Burkett and McCumber arguing as strenuously against that policy. The day closed with more than two-thirds vote against Senator McCumber's free lumber amendment, the ballot showing 25 for and 56 against.

The surprise of the day was the attitude of Senator Dolliver, who heretofore has stood with the "progressives" throughout the present tariff fight. He today took positive position against the radical demand for free lumber, but expressed the opinion that the industry would not suffer from a reduction of the Dingley rates.

Senator Root opened the day's proceedings with a close argument in favor of a differential on dressed lumber. Senators Borah and Heyburn, of Idaho, contended for the highest duty on lumber, and Mr. Borah entered upon an argument to show that the policy of protection is "a system" and cannot be maintained if there are to be constant exceptions to it as is desired in the interest of free lumber.

On the other hand, Senators Clapp and Burkett argued that lumber can be produced as cheaply in Canada as in the United States and contended that the lumber industry of this country would not be endangered by the free admission of the Canadian product. Incidentally, Senator Clapp paid a glowing tribute to the Canadian government, saying that it was equal to the best.

During the day Senator Heyburn spoke of the Republican platform of the last campaign in a way that brought down some criticism on his head, and Senator Bailey declared that he did not propose to be bound by the platform adopted by the Democrats at Denver.

Mr. Bailey made a speech of some length towards the close of the session in which he expressed the opinion that the enactment of the pending tariff bill would see the disintegration of the Republican party.

Early in the day Senator Owen made a sharp attack upon the present tariff on sugar, saying that it led to frauds by a "trust," and still earlier Senator Aldrich introduced a resolution providing for an investigation of the expenditures of the various executive departments.

At 5:40 o'clock P. M. the Senate adjourned.

THE HEADLIGHT LAW.

Hearing of Three Roads Before Corporation Commission Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 24.—Throughout the afternoon there was in progress before the Corporation Commission a hearing on the question of exempting certain railroads from the act of the last Legislature requiring electric headlights. The Atlantic Coast Line is pleading for entire exemption on the ground that its roads in this State are so straight and without notable grades that these expensive equipments are not necessary. They cite the fact that in 15 years there has scarcely been a head-on collision. Seaboard Air Line pleads it is equipping its trains that need them with electric lights, but want trains on the main line to operate only in the day time exempted. The Coast Line especially protests against the general use of the electric light on the ground it has proved to have a bad effect on the eyesight of engineers developing stigmatism that deprives them of the power to distinguish different colored signals. A number of Coast Line engineers testified against the usefulness of electric headlights including John McMillan, of Wilmington. D. K. Wright, engineer and chairman of the Brotherhood Legislative Committee, appeared to press for the rigid enforcement of the act.

KING MUST SERVE TERM

Former North Carolinian Goes to Prison For Ten Years.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Boston, Mass., May 24.—Exceptions of Cardenio F. King, the promoter, who was convicted in December of larceny and embezzlement were overruled by the Supreme Court today and King will be compelled to serve the sentence of ten years imprisonment imposed at his trial.

King was engaged in selling stock in various corporations and was charged with having failed to make returns to customers.

SAMPSON TRAGEDY

Major Archibald Parker Shot to Death by Drunken Man.

AT PARKERSBURG SUNDAY

Rural Mail Carrier William Bass Shot Up Community While Crazed With Liquor—Finally Surrendered—Jail at Clinton.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Parkesburg, N. C., May 24—Crazed with liquor and on a drunken rampage of the community, William Bass, a middle-aged white man, a rural mail carrier from this place, shot and almost instantly killed Major Archibald Bradley Parker, one of the most highly esteemed citizens of the county, Sunday afternoon as he stood on the platform of the store of his nephew, Mr. C. P. Parker, of which he had charge here.

Bass, who is recognized in the community as a terfor when he is drunk, was in an ugly mood Sunday afternoon and told a Mr. Norris that he was going down and kill Vander Hall, another rural carrier, and arming himself with his shot gun, he went forth. He also made threats against Mr. Jasper Peterson, in the same community. Hall received word of Bass' condition and left home to avoid him, the drunken man coming up later and shooting up his house. Mr. Peterson was just driving off with his family also to avoid the drunken man, when Bass came up and fired at Mr. Peterson and his family as they were driving out of the yard.

Bass then went to the store of Mr. Parker, which was, of course, closed for Sunday. He demanded that Major Parker, who was a man of 75 years of age, sell him some ammunition. Major Parker refused in a polite manner and calling him by his given name, motioned him to go home and behave himself. Without further warning, Bass threw up his gun and fired into the elderly gentleman, the load tearing a hole the size of a dolar through his left breast, just above the heart, killing him almost instantly. Several others at the store, knowing the character of Bass, fled when he fired and the drunken man walked around the store for some time before anybody was permitted to go to the slain man. Bass next went to Caisson's store, a short distance away, broke into the place and helped himself to a small amount of money, other firearms and all the ammunition needed. He then returned to his home where he has a wife and child and about nightfull was surrounded by a posse who stood guard nearly all night, the extreme darkness and the presence of the woman and child in the house forbidding an attack. Just before day, however, Bass was seen to light a lamp in his house and later he walked out on his porch, calmly smoking a cigar. Mr. Walter Herring, of Garland, one of the posse, immediately opened fire on the murderer and this was returned, a perfect fusillade of shots having followed during which Bass jumped into the woods and ran. Later he returned to his home and early this morning gave himself up to Messrs. J. D. Johnson and D. L. Cromartie, of Garland. His surrender followed a conference of Mr. Johnson with Mrs. Bass, who came out of the house at the call of Mr. Johnson, who had once befriended her husband. She denied that Bass was in the house, but being told that the posse was about to storm the place and she had better retreat with her child, she went back in the dwellout in his shirtsleeves with his arms out in his shirt sleeve with his arms up. He surrendered and told Mr. Johnson that he did not remember what had occurred; that he was drunk and crazy. He was immediately taken in custody and was sent this morning to jail at Clinton. The coroner of Sampson arrived early today and held an inquest over the body of Major Parker, finding the facts about as given.

Major Parker was a brother of the late W. J. Parker, of Bladen, and was for years a Mason and an active member of the Methodist church for 50 years. He joined Shaw's Cavalry, 5th N. C. Volunteer Regiment during the war and served his country well. He was one of the county's best citizens and the tragedy has cast a gloom over the entire community. He is survived by two children, Mr. William Parker, of Rocky Mount, and Mrs. R. E. Costner, of Lincolnton, N. C. The funeral will take place here tomorrow.

Bass was born about Wilson, N. C., but had been a resident here for some years. He was well behaved when sober but a terror when drinking. The feeling against him here is strong, but it is thought there is no danger of violence.

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CONTEST BITTER AT ASSEMBLY

Caused by the Withdrawal of Central University of Kentucky From Control of the Presbyterian Church—Session.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Savannah, Ga., May 24.—Calling by name the three representatives of the Synod of Kentucky the complainants in the Central University of Kentucky matter before the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church in session here this afternoon filed a protest to the alleged action of the representatives in distributing on Saturday a pamphlet giving the institution's side of the case.

Colonel Thomas W. Bullitt, P. M. Bruce and Rev. E. M. Green, D. D., are named in the protest, which charges that while the Assembly and congregation were singing "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow," agents employed by the Kentuckians distributed the pamphlets among the worshippers, the complainants stating they "are bold to affirm that perhaps no such scene was ever witnessed in this General Assembl."

They pronounce it "an unusual and unfair proceeding" and state that heretofore the Assembly has placed an emphatic disapproval upon such a course. The protest contains a set of resolutions which are offered with it, wherein, it is said:

"Whereas, a pamphlet entitled 'Discussion of Assembly Deliverance' has been addressed to Moderator and members of the body and which pamphlet moreover contains an grossly personal assault on a number of the General Assembly," etc., resolved:

"That in the opinion of the Assembly the distribution of books, letters or pamphlets among the members of the house relative a cause pending before them or which is expected to be submitted to their decision is an infringement upon the prerogatives of the house and ought to be discountenanced as an illegal and improper attempt to bias the judgment of the members."

Following a motion to admit the protest to record Colonel Bullitt took the floor. He declared that the idea of General Young protesting would "cause a smile among those who knew him in Kentucky."

In an instant a protest was filed against "unparliamentary language." Colonel Bullitt said the unkind remarks in the paper just read caused him to make the remark. The matter had not been concluded when the afternoon session of the Assembly adjourned.

Previous to the discussion the following answer from Secretary of State Knox was read replying to the Assembly's request for government aid for the two American missionaries awaiting trial at Leopoldville tomorrow for libel:

"The President directs me to acknowledge the receipt of your telegrame of May 21st. The Department of State on May 3 cabled the minister at Brussels to ask a postponement of the libel suit against Morrison and Shepard and the request that their trial be held at some more convenient point.

"The minister, however, was informed that according to the Belgian law the government of Belgium is incompetent to order a postponement or transfer of civil cases in the Congo and that the only authority competent to postpone or transfer a case to any judicial district is the court itself upon petition of the defendants.

"The minister was further informed that Morrison and Sheppard were already en route to Leopoldville with their witnesses. The American consult at Boma is in close touch with the situation and is instructed to exercise appropriate good offices if necessary."

BASE BALL

National League.

At New York 1; St. Louis 3.
At Brooklyn 3; Chicago 4.
At Boston 2; Pittsburg 6.
At Philadelphia 1; Cincinnati 5.

American League.

At Cleveland 6; Philadelphia 2.
At Detroit 10; Washington 1.
At Chicago 2; New York 1.
At St. Louis-Boston, rain.

Southern League.

At Mobile 10; Nashville 2.
At Montgomery 2; Memphis 1.
At Little Rock-Atlanta, rain.
At New Orleans 0; Birmingham 3.

South Atlantic League.

At Columbus 2; Columbia 1.
At Augusta 3; Macon 2.
At Jacksonville 2; Chattanooga 1.
At Savannah 2; Charleston 3.

Virginia League.

At Lynchburg 0; Richmond 3.
At Danville 5; Roanoke 1.
At Norfolk 6; Portsmouth 1.

Carolina League.

At Anderson 14; Greenville 7.
At Greensboro 0; Spartanburg 1.
At Charlotte 0; Winston 4.

Princeton Game.

At Princeton 1; Harvard 4.

—The Sixth Annual Meeting of the Board of Examiners of Trained Nurses of North Carolina will be held at Raleigh June 22, 23, 24, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The meetings will be held in the Raleigh High School Building, beginning at 2 P. M. Tuesday, June 23rd.

LOST IN THE EIGHTH

Error and Fumble by "Rube" Howard Cost Him His Game.

NOW IN SECOND DIVISION

Fayetteville and Goldsboro Winners on Other Diamonds Yesterday by Close Scores—Wilmington's New Men Show Up Well.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 0, Raleigh 1.
Rocky Mount 0, Fayetteville 1.
Goldsboro 7, Wilson 5.

Games Today.

Wilmington at Raleigh.
Wilson at Goldsboro.
Rocky Mount at Fayetteville.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Raleigh	4	1	.800
Goldsboro	5	2	.685
Wilson	3	2	.600
Fayetteville	2	3	.400
Wilmington	2	5	.285
Rocky Mount	1	4	.200

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 24.—After seven innings of phenomenally fast ball in which Wilmington had all the best of it, "Rube" Howard lost his own game with the Red Birds this afternoon by a score of one to nothing. It was in the eighth inning and Wilmington had just gone out in order, Sharp pitcher to first; Streaser to rightfield and Smith to second. Raleigh came up with hope almost banished and Pope was out short to first. Dawson, next up, was safe on Howard's error and immediately thereafter stole second. Crozier, next up, bunted and "Rube" did a juggling act with the sphere until Dawson raced across the home plate. Hoffman sacrificed Crozier, but he was out a moment later by being hit by a fairly batted ball from Murray.

Wilmington came dangerously near tieing the score in the ninth after Kite had lined out to first and Fox flew out to right. Brodie, the new outfielder for Wilmington, made a nice single to right after three balls had been called on him and Jayes followed with a single to third, but Simmons, the new shortstop blasted all hope by fanning. The game was a pitcher's battle throughout and both Howard and Pope let their adversaries down with but four hits. Wilmington's two errors cost the Sailors the game while one to the credit of Raleigh was not fatal.

The game opened with Sharpe to bat and he fanned after three successive balls had been presented to him. Streaser likewise did an aerial stunt with the willow and Smith was out second to first. Dawson, first up for Raleigh, flew out to right; Crozier was out third to first and Hoffman, second to first.

In the second Kite fanned and Fox bunted safely. Brodie, the new outfielder, made his debut by fanning with one foul strike. Jayes was out, second to first. For Raleigh Murray was safe on long drive to centre but was forced out by Brumfield's bunt. Hoover hit safely to left and Haas was out third to first after Brumfield was caught at second.

It was one, two three for Wilmington in the third, Simmons pitcher to first, Howard short to first and Sharp to left field. Ditto Raleigh, Wrenn to third; Pope second to first and Dawson to right field.

It looked like a score for Wilmington in the fourth after Streaser flew out to centre. Smith singled to left, stole second and third while Kite was going out, third to first. Fox drew a pass but Brodie after three balls and two strikes had been called, flew out to short. For Raleigh, Crozier drew a pass and was sacrified by Hoffman; Murray flew out to left and Brumfield fanned at the first three over the plate.

In the fifth Jayes flew out to right; Simmons was out pitcher to first and Howard fanned. Raleigh was out in order Hoover on fly to left; Haas to short and Wrenn to third.

The sixth opened with a neat single by Sharpe to centre; Streaser fouled out to catcher; Smith was up and Sharpe stole second; Kite ended the hope by fanning. For Raleigh Pope fouled out to catcher; Dawson was out, pitcher to first. Crozier was hit by a pitched ball and stole second while Hoffman was drawing free transportation. Murray saved the day by flying out to centre.

It looked like a score for Wilmington in the seventh. After Fox had fanned, Pope passed Brodie and Jayes followed him with a hit to centre. Simmons flew out to right and Howard was out short to first. Raleigh's half of the seventh was a safe hit by Brumfield to centre and a sacrifice by Hoover. Haas bunted to Howard who threw Brumfield out at third. Wrenn was out second to first. The tragic story of the eighth and Wilmington's

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ADVVERTISE WILMINGTON.

The movement to organize the young men and desirable citizens of Wilmington into an irresitable force to boost the city in every conceivable way will be formally set on foot tonight . For that purpose a meeting has been called at the Court House at 8 P. M., and every citizen, and especially the young men, are invited to attend and join the ranks of the progress pushers.

Woodus Kellum, Esq., the well known young lawyer, originated the idea of enlisting the young men in the effort to make a greater city, and he has already secured signatures pledging a membership of two hundred. This is only the beginning, and there is every reason why the membership should be at least 500. Every man should get a move on him, and be in evidence at the meeting tonight.

The body which is to be organized for the promotion of the interests and the growth of Wilmington, will have plenty to do. One of the things to be accomplished is to advertise the city's advantages. They are many and they must be so emphasized as to attract population, business, and industries, and invite capital here to aid in developing the resources that await enterprising exploitation.

Advertising a city is now well recognized as a good way to boost a community and municipalities are learning this from the business man who has learned that adversing pays and now uses it as a large part of his stock in trade. Some advertisements of Wilmington have appeared at different times in several publications, but it is well that Wilmington should now get in the list of New Advertisements.

Several of our enterprising Southern cities are advertising themselves, and as the organization to be effected tonight probably will undertake to advertise Wilmington, it is well to note that the New York Herald recently carried an attractive advertisement of the growing city of Knoxville, Tenn.

SILK CULTURE.

Frederick Haskin writes a very interesting article on "Abandoned Industries," and among those which, it appears, are to be abondoned in the United States, is that of the efforts at silk growing. Mr. Haskin writes:

"The Department of Agriculture has recently decided to abandon the experiments it has been conducting in silk culture, and make no further efforts to establish it as an American industry. It cannot be made a paying industry, it is stated, even if it be put in the hands of school children, and no pay be given for their services. The Federal Government has spent several hundred thousand dollars experimenting. It not only raised the worms and distributed eggs and literature free, but imported European experts, established a mill, bought the cocoons and, without charge, taught people to reel the silk. It having become evident that Americans could not compete with Italians working for 10 to 30 cents a day and with Chinese receiving 4 to 8 cents a day, Congress stopped appropriations for silk culture a year ago, and the Agricultural Department's plant has been shipped to the Philippines, in the hope of establishing an industry there."

We are loth to believe that the silk growing industry in this country is a failure, unless it be because of the labor feature of the industry. We believe there are communities in the South admirably adapted to the culture of the silk work, and especially suited to the rapid growth of plants for the feeding of the worms, but when it comes to the question of labor and knowledge of the industry, we have our doubts as to its ever becoming one of our industries. We can't have all the good things, any way, for if we produce everything and buy nothing, commercial intercourse with the world will cease. As a matter of fact, we haven't got the labor now to take care of the resources which exist in the South in such great abundance.

Senator Aldrich says he has spent 30 years in the study of the tariff problem. As it is in evidence that he has studied only one side of the problem ,it is to be hoped that he will live another 30 years so he can learn something about the people's side of the question.

In his speech at Charlotte President Taft declared that he would make further appointments without regard to political considerations, his one desire being to seek for the best man for every office. How extremely flattering this is to us Democrats.

If you join the Republican party be sure to have the certificate of membership dated some time after President Taft had filed his estimate of the elder statesmen of Tar Heel Republicanism. It may be desirable not to be erroneously considered as belonging to their class.

It would be just like Charlotte to try to make us believe that the crowd in that city May 20th to see President Taft fully verrifies the City Directory's recent census report of the teeming population of the Queen City.

It was recently reported that 143 icebergs were seen off the coast of New Foundland. Probably it was only a bunch of North Carolina Republicans as they appeared after they had been frosted by the President.

It is announced that our old friend John D. Rockefeller has taken to writing poetry. We hate to do it, but our advice to Mrs. Rockefeller is to begin at once a quet investigation as to the source of his inspiration.

Speaker Cannon declares that he will never retire from politics. We'd think more of politics if she, it or they would tire of Uncle Joe and force him to retire.

"At last there is peace in Washington" remarks Harper's Weekly. That's why we hope that hunt in Africa will continue for sometime yet.

A Chicago girl of 18 Summers has married a seventy year old millionaire. The girl is confident, however, that she'll soon be a merry widow.

If this thing keeps up President Taft may appoint some of the Old Guard to office, merely as a matter of sympathy.

The Weather Bureau seems to be the mortal enemy of the peek-a-boo waist.

Everybody should wear a "Come to Wilmington" button.

Get stuck on your town.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Mr. Taft's declaration at Charlotte that he intended to appoint more Democrats sent chills down the back of his Republican hearers, and they thought the rain was ice water pouring down their backs.—Raleigh News and Observer.

—That a majority of the people demand and desire a reform of the tariff, to lessen the tribute to trusts and greedy combinations of capital, and to relive the exaction upon consumers, there is no doubt.—New York Journal of Commerce.

—The humiliation of Congressman Hollingsworth, of Ohio—by his colleagues, Republicans alike with Democrats—who worked himself into such a tempestuous fury over the appearance of Jefferson Davis' portrait on the centerpiece of the silver service to be presented to the steamship Mississippi, confirms the rumor current for some time that the war between the states is over.—Chattanooga Times.

—The announcement from St. Petersburg that the Czar has pardoned Lieutenant General Stoessel and Rear Admiral Nebogatoff and that they have been released from imprisonment in a fortress will be read with satisfaction by all lovers of justice the world over. General Stoessel was commander of the Russian fortress of Fort Arthur, which resisted for nearly six months the assaults of the Japanese, and finally capitulated with the honors of war. Admiral Nebogatoff was the commander of the remnant of the Russian fleet, which, after the battle of the Sea of Japan, surrendered to the Japanese, because it would have been sheer folly to have resisted further, with overwhelming odds to meet and rebellious crews to contend with. In any other country than Russia both these men, instead of being punished, would have been honored and given full credit for having made the best resistance that it was possible to make under the circumstances.—New Orleans Picayune.

—President Eliot is a scholar and the most eminent teacher of his generation. He met only the best families of the South during his visit to that section, and he said that "never in his life before had be learned so much in the same length of time as during the seven weeks spent in traveling through the Southern States." It is a fact that the first president of the Unied States chosen from New England had for wife a South Carolina woman, and his son, and one of his successors in that exalted station, John Quincy Admas, was a cousin of R. Barnwell Rhett, and had as much Southern blood his veins as Theodore Roosevelt. There are no "so-called" first families anywhere, and certainly none in a country like ours. Public opinion fixes the status of every family and grades it with absolutely and impartial accuracy. The best opinion comes from those families. The old South had a social aristocracy; but nowhere in this world and at no time in the world's history, was there a better example of a political democracy than in the South of the nineteenth century.—Washington Post.

TWINKLINGS.

—"What's an anomaly?" "A man who wears long hair and a velvet coat and hates notoriety."—Cleveland Leader.

—Adam and Eve were moving. "Thanks heaven there are no neighbors to see we haven't any furniture," she cried. Thus she extracted a crumb of comfort.—New York Sun.

—Fellow Statesman—Senator, that speech of yours in favor of the income tax was one of the strongest arguments I ever heard. Eloquent Senator (with some uneasiness)—You don't think it changed any votes, do you?—Chicago Tribune.

—Lawyer (cross-examining)—You testified that Miss Smythe was walking in her sleep. How do you know she was asleep? Witness—Well, a mouse ran across the floor in front of her and she never even batted an eye.—Chicago Tribune.

—"There's something I can't get on to. Coming down in the morning you always manage to sit beside the same swell looking girl. But you never speak to her. What's the answer?" "That's my wife. She's taking lessons in a cooking school."—Cleveland Leader.

—"Johnny," said the teacher, "can you give us a definition of the word speculation? Let us suppose, for example, that your father has $500 and that he desires to buy several thousand bushels of wheat he never expects to really see or possess. What does he do?" "He loses his $500.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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Wilkins—I understand you are giving your son a liberal education? Hobbs—Liberal! Not a bit of it! They don't give anything away at the college where he is. I have to pay for every plaguy thing he gets.—Boston Transcript.

Thoughtfulness.

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Miss Caustique—That is very considerate of you. I dare say the other people appreciate your thoughtfulness.—Philadelphia Record.

Sarcastic.

He—Look at this infernal bill. You know I can't afford it. Now, I'm going to give you a piece of my mind. She—Are you quite sure you can afford that, papa, dear?—London Opinion.

Economy may be the road to wealth, but a large number of people will refuse to travel it until the good roads movement has made it smoother.—Washington Herald.

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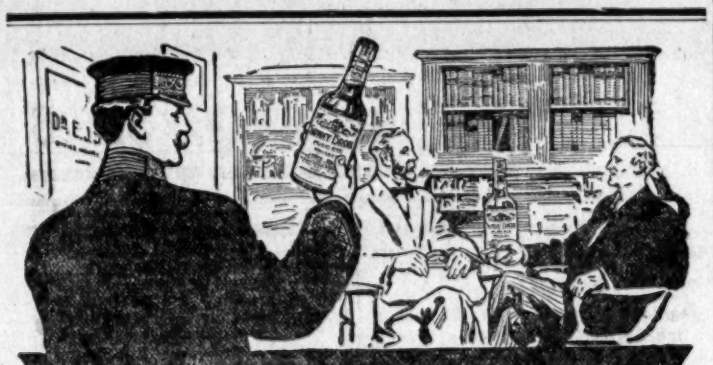

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CAPT. HASBROUCK LEAVES.

Preparing For Maneuvers—Playing Fast Ball—Items From Fort.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fort Caswell, N. C., May 23.—Capt. A. Hasbrouck, C. A. C., who has been in command of the 19th Co., C. A. C., at this post, left yesterday to take command of one of the new mine planters being installed by the Government at New York city. Capt. Hasbrouck's loss is much felt by officers and men alike, but as his new position is much more desirable, and was gained by service of marked efficiency, all wish him well and all are glad of his well earned promotion.

The beautiful new post exchange building, which was completed some time ago will be occupied in a few days.

Preparations are under way for the coming coast defense exercises at this post in June, and grounds are being laid out for Coast Artillery Reserves, who will participate from Raleigh, Wilmington and other cities in this State.

The first man to bat (McCumber) in yesterday's game between the Tigers and the Senators of the Caswell Baseball League, pounded out a two-bagger, was advanced to third by Carter's single and scored on a battery error, thereby winning the game for the Tigers 1 to 0. Curtis, who pitched for the Tigers then tightened up for the remainder of the game and it was a pitcher's battle between him and Stockel, who did the deceiving for the jungle residents. Both teams fielded brilliantly. By winning yesterday's game the Tigers brought themselves neck and neck with their two opponents, the Senators and Cubs, each having a percentage of .500, with only two weeks left of the season. The tigers are favorites at present on account of their recent good showing.

Manager Kunecke, of the post team, is anxious to hear from managers of teams in the State, who wish to cross bats with the all-Caswell team after June 5th.

DEATH AT LUMBERTON

Mr. Warren Preston McNeill Passed Away Sunday—Funeral.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., May 24.—A feeling of sincere sorrow and regret was cast over Lumberton yesterday about 2 o'clock, when it was announced that Mr. Warren Preston McNeill was dead. He had been sick about a month and for several days it had been known that his condition was critical. He was 34 years old and a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McNeill, of this place, and was held in the highest esteem by a large circle of friends.

He leaves a wife and five children, the oldest being 10 years of age, while the youngest is only six month old. A year or two ago he moved from his farm in the country to town, to give his children the benefit of the graded school.

Mr. McNeill was of a family of twelve children, and his is the first death to occur in the family. The funeral was conducted from the residence this afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. C. H. Durham, pastor of the First Baptist church, and the remains laid to rest in the East Lumberton cemetery. The deepest sympathy of the entire community goes out to the aged parents and the grief stricken wife and children.

DAVIDSON COMMENCEMENT

Baccalaureate Sermon on Sunday—Exercises During This Week.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Davidson, N. C., May 24.—Before one of the largest congregations ever assembled at Davidson, the commencement exercises opened yesterday morning with the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Dr. A. A. McGeachy, of Charlotte, an honored alumnus of the college, and the annual sermon to the Y. M. C. A. last night by Rev. Dr. W. T. Sloan, of Greenville, S. C., both of which were very strong discourses, the former being on the call for strong men and the latter on character as an essential.

Today has been devoted to class day exercises at 10 A. M., a meeting of the executive committee at 2:30 this afternoon and the reunion of the literary societies tonight, the philanthropic alumni orator being Senator Oscar L. Clark, of Clarkton, and the Eumenian orator being Prof. J. Marion Moore, of South Carolina. Tomorrow will be alumni day and Wednesday commencement day proper.

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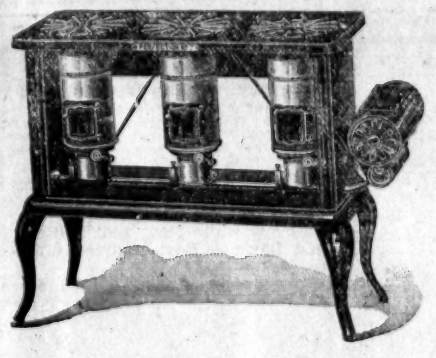

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Cash Items	52 50
Due from Banks	62,583 27
Gold Coin	590 00
Silver Coin	522 33
Currency	2,335 00
Total	$862 308 24

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000 00
Undivided Profits	46,016 54
Accrued Interest due depositors	3,000 00
Deposits	763,291 70
Total	$862,308 24

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

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The Morning Star.

Tuesday, Mary 25, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., May 25, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, May 24th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 56 degrees; 8. P. M. 64 degrees; maximum 73 degrees; minimum 50 degrees; mean 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month 3.05 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Sunday at 8 A. M. 23.7 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast

For North Carolina—Thunder showers Tuesday and Wednesday, moderate south and southwest winds.

Port Calendar—May 25.

Sun Rises.....4:48 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:05 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 16 min.
High water at Southport 12:02 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 3:02 A. M.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Clyde Liner Navahoe, which arrived from New York yesterday morning had a rough passage a portion of the way down the coast on account of a heavy northeast wind.

—The outing of the Sunday School of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, which was to have taken place at Wrightsville Beach today, has been postponed, the date to be announced later.

—At Lumina last night a beautiful Flower Dance was given and the event was attended by some 400 dancers and spectators. The decorations were very pretty and reminded the guests of last season's brilliant affairs. The event was greatly enjoyed by all present.

—The automobile buggy of Rural Carrier R. F. Gore was disabled about three miles out on the Castle Haynes road yesterday and had to be towed in. While being brought to the city, the buggy sheered to one side and a wheel was smashed, but the damage to the machine is not great.

—Among the week-end arrivals at the Southern Hotel were: R. F. Brooks, Currie; C. B. Edwards, Lumberton; H. B. Corbett, Ivanhoe; J. C. Mintz, Southport; M. M. Bullard, Montague; Mrs. J. H. Montague, Miss Bessie Montague; M. C. Russ, Canetuck; W. H. Tuttle, Rural Hall.

—In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday afternoon a trivial civil action was heard. It was brought by James McCall, a colored, brick layer, against Deputy United States Marshal C. O. Knox, the negro asking for $7 which he alleged was due on contract. According to the evidence the plaintiff had not lived up to his contract and the Justice dismissed the case.

—Maxton Scottish Chief: "About thirty young people dropped in at Captain Everett's residence Wednesday evening where an informal reception was given in honor of Miss Mabel Croom, of Wilmington. Refreshments were served, and fun enough for a week provided."

—Red Springs Citizen: "Major J. J. Henderson is back with us again, much to the delight of his many friends. He resigned his position as an umpire in the Carolina Association, as he decided it was not worth while to be hated by the whole world for the compensation received by an umpire. He is one of the best, and the league loses a good man."

RECRUITING STATION CLOSED

Sergeant Shutters Ordered to Raleigh. Department Orders.

Pursuant to orders from the Department the United States recruiting station which has been located here for the past two years and six months has been closed by Captain E. T. Winston, who has had supervision over the stations in the eastern part of the State.

Sergeant F. H. Shutters, who has been in charge of the Station here has been ordered to Raleigh. There have been no enlistments from the local office for the past few months. A Washington dispatch Sunday morning announced orders from the Department closing the Raleigh recruiting station. However, Sergeant Shutters, has been ordered to report there and will leave here in a few days, having shipped the equipment of the local station to Raleigh yesterday.

CUTTER LEAVES TODAY.

Capt. Foley Will Make Official Visits. Cruise of Six Days.

The revenue cutter Seminole, on its first cruise in command of Capt. D. P. Foley, who assumed charge on the 15th of this month, will leave port this morning at 8 o'clock on a cruise of six days. During this period the cutter will visit Charleston and other ports, where Capt. Foley will make official visits.

The Seminole will proceed from here to Charleston, where she will probably spend two days and on return will visit Port Royal and from there goes north to Cape Hatteras. The cutter is expected to return to port about the first of the month.

Assistant Secretary Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Henry G. Bowden, who was recently chosen assistant to Secretary Edwin Kettle, of the Y. M. C. A., entered upon his duties yesterday morning and is cordially greeted by his many friends in this city. Mr. Bowden succeeds Mr. H. L. King, who recently resigned after being connected with the Association for a number of years.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. D. C. Fennell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. G. Shaw, at Kerr, N. C.

—Mr. J. P. Rowell, of Phoenix, was among yesterday's arrivals on a business trip.

John Hays Hammond yesterday definitely declined the tender of the ministership to China.

—Miss Rosa Herring spent a few days the past week with friends and relatives at Kerr, N. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Megow spent Sunday and yesterday visiting friends and relatives at Kerr, N. C.

—Miss Jane Fennell returned last night from Salemburg, N. C., where she has been in school during the past term.

—Dr. John A. Ferrell, of Kenansville, is in the city on a brief buisness trip.

—Mr. R. B. Walthall, representing the Southern Paper Co., of Richmond, Va., was in the city yesterday calling on the trade.

—Wilmington's former townsman, Mr. N. H. Lockart, now of Pender county, arrived last night on a business trip.

—Maxton Scottish Chief: "Mr. Lawtence Everett, of Wilmington was with his father, Captain J. C. Everett, and family over Sunday."

—Mr. William A. Jones has returned to his home at Ebansburg, Pa., after a visit of a few days to his son, Mr. Earle W. Jones, No. 613 South Front street.

—Miss Helene Trenholm, of New York, arrived yesterday on the Clyde Liner Navahoe and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Russell Bellamy, on South Ninth street.

—City Engineer Raymond Humphreys arrived yesterday from Ferguson, S. C., and his smiling countenance has proved a benediction upon his many friends here.

—Mr. R. M. Wescott, of Waycross, Ga., arrived on the late train Saturday night and will spend several days looking after his property interests here and at Southport.

—Mrs. J. A. Brown, Chadbourn, and Miss Annette Morton, of Wilmington, are among the alumnea attending the State Normal commencement at Greensboro this week.

—Mrs. J. M. Solky has returned from New York whither she was summoned some days ago to attend the funeral of her distinguished brother-in-law, the late Henrich Conreid.

—Mr. Theodore Kingsbury, who is now holding the responsible position of Associated Press operator on the Raleigh News and Observer, spent Sunday at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kingsbury.

—Mrs. P. L. Bridgers has returned from a delightful visit to Charlotte. Her daughter, Miss Margaret Bridgers, will remain in the Queen City for a few days longer, the guest of Mrs. Baxter S. Moore.

—Rev. T. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace church, went to Jacksonville, N. C., yesterday, where he will deliver the address at the commencement exercises of the school at that place today. He will return tomorrow.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Palmer and Miss Edith Belle Palmer, who have sojourned in Wilmington the past eight months, will leave this morning for Boston, en route to their home in Bangor, Maine.

—Dr. J. P. Brown, of Fairmont, arrived yesterday to accompany to the hospital Miss Charity Ashley, a patient who was operated upon yesterday by Dr. Frank H. Russell and Dr. Brown.

—Rev. W. L. Cuninggim, presiding elder of the Wilmington district, returned last night from Ingold, Sampson county, and the Epworth church on the Clinton circuit, where he conducted services Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. R. C. Rogers, one of the popular traveling salesmen with the Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., has been transferred to territory in South Carolina and will have headquarters at Florence. He left yesterday morning for his new post.

—Mr. Frank Cromme, musical director at the Crystal Palace, left yesterday to accept an engagement elsewhere. Mr. Cromme is a baritone of reputation, and is a composer of music and writer of a number of pretty and catchy songs.

—Mr. Chas. S. Grainger, of the Murchison National Bank, and Mr. Thos. E. Cooper, of the American National Bank, will leave today and Mr. Chas. N. Evans, of the Southern National, will leave tomorrow for Charlotte to attend the annual convention of the North Carolina State Bankers' Association, which will be in session there through Wednesday of this week.

—Mr. Julian L. Smith, Inter-State Field Secretary, who has been a visitor at the Y. M. C. A. for several days, left yesterday morning for Charlotte. He will remain there during the absence of Inter-State Secretary Huntington, who leaves this week for Omaha, Neb., to attend a meeting of the Inter-State secretaries of United States and Canada.

At The Bijou.

The Bijou is offering three very interesting and entertaining films today. "The Fairy's Presents," an interesting little fairy story in a beautifully colored picture; "Love-Sick Barber," who falls desperately in love with a pretty manicurist employed in the same establishment, has many setbacks in his fight for her hand but finally conquers all obstacles, and "The Suspicious Fencing-Master," another interesting love story in which the hero proves the material of which he is made and wins his heart's desire.

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MAY TERM SUPERIOR COURT

Judge W. R. Allen Presiding—Big Damage Suit of A. R. Forbes Against Atlantic Coast Line First Case Taken Up.

The regular two weeks' May term of New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of civil causes convened yesterday morning at 10:20 o'clock with Judge W. R. Allen, of Goldsboro, presiding. The greater part of the day was spent in the selection of a jury to try the first case on the docket, that of A. R. Forbes against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, in which the plaintiff seeks to recover damages for personal injuries received while in the employ of the company as brakeman on a freight train between Wilmington and Goldsboro.

It was 3 o'clock in the afternoon before the final juror of the twelve sitting on the case was accepted. The supply of regular jurors was exhausted early and several times the sheriff had to send out after new material. The jury as accepted by both sides is as follows: G. E. Hawkins, W. J. Meredith, F. A. Bissinger, Jas. H. Cowan, J. T. Whitehurst, I. J. Crease, J. J. Bowden, J. W. King, A. Shrier, G. W. Matthews, M. G. Tiencken and J. W. Scott.

The following named were excused from jury duty for reasons satisfactory to the court: R. H. Cowan, J. L. Grafflin and C. E. McCulloch.

The plaintiff is suing for $20,000 damages for injuries received at Warsaw, N. C., on the morning of May 2nd, 1908, while he was employed as brakeman on a freight train running between this city and Goldsboro. It is alleged in the complaint that the train stopped at Warsaw to take on a car; that after getting the car and running back to the main line two unsuccessful attempts were made to couple the car with the other part of the train; that the plaintiff signalled the engineer ahead for the third time so he could arrange the coupling so they would catch; that before he had completed his work the engineer, without waiting for a signal, ran the car back, fastening the plaintiff between the two couplings. The plaintiff had four or five ribs broken, his left arm fractured near the elbow and suffered internal injuries which he alleges are permanent and of such a nature as to greatly impair him for work.

The contention of the defendant is that the plaintiff was injured through his own negligence; that he had been warned about standing between the cars in making couplings and that the engineer backed his engine at the signal of the brakeman.

Several witnesses were examined for the plaintiff, showing the manner in which Mr. Forbes was injured and the extent of the injuries, two physicians, Drs. T. M. Green and R. H. Bellamy, testifying to the nature of injuries and giving it as their opinion that the plaintiff was permanently injured. Several character witnesses were introduced. At 5 o'clock the plaintiff rested and the attorneys announced that they would not have any more testimony to offer except probably a few character witnesses.

When court adjourned for the day the taking of testimony for the defendant was well under way and will likely be finished in a few hours today.

Appearing for the plaintiff are Herbert McClammy, Esq., and Bellamy & Bellamy, while Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, and Davis & Davis represent the defendant company.

When the case was called the counsel for the defendant asked for a continuance on account of the absence of a material witness, an engineer, who had been summoned to appear before the State Corporation Commission. As the witness had not been duly summoned and the case had been peremptorily set for trial, Judge Allen ruled that it was with the plaintiff whether or not the case should proceed. The counsel for the plaintiff were anxious for trial and the hearing continued.

FRANK R. HYMAN DEAD

Popular Citizen of Newbern Passed Away on Thursday Night.

Mr. F. P. Turrentine returned Sunday from Newbern whither he accompanied his mother, Mrs. John R. Turrentine, on Friday on account of the death of Mrs. Turrentine's nephew, Mr. Frank R. Hyman, who passed away Thursday night at 9 o'clock after a lingering illness, in the 35th year of his age. Mr. Hyman was a brother of Mr. T. G. Hyman, of the Hyman Supply Company, of this city and Newbern, and was held in the highest esteem wherever he was known. The funeral was conducted from the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. O. Marks, of Newbern, on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The bereaveed ones have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

Funeral of Mrs. Elise Newman.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Elise Newman, whose death occurred Saturday morning, were held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. J. P. Monroe, on Fifth street, being conducted by Rev. T. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Street Methodist Church, assisted by Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D. The interment followed in Bellevue cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. R. A. Davis, H. G. Bowden, J. N. Valentine and B. Robinson.

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It's our way to make choosing easy and buying pleasant. Look at our stocks of splendid Summer Mattings—there is a good example of this policy. We have on hand thousands of yards of the best straw and fiber mattings in scores and scores of pretty and delightful patterns.

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CASES BEFORE RECORDER

Two White Boys Sent to Roads for Larceny of Tobacco—Negroes Go to Roads for Vagrancy. Other Cases.

The Recorder's court convened at 11 o'clock yesterday morning in the City Hall, the change being made on account of the County court room being occupied by Superior Court. As noted in Sunday's paper the hour of holding court has been changed from 12 to 11 o'clock.

The Recorder had a large docket for his consideration and the court room was well filled with defendants, witnesses and spectators. One of the most interesting cases was against two young white boys, Randolph Williamson and John Russ, charged with the larceny of a pound of tobacco from Lizzie Oaks, which was taken from her house while she was away from home. The boys were given a sentence of three months each, the County Commissioners to hire them out.

L. R. Pridgen, a white man, was found guilty of an assault on John McKoy, colored, with a knife and was fined $5 and taxed with the costs. James McKoy, who was charged with a simple assault, was found not guilty.

Roland White, whose color is anything but what his name implies, was required to pay a fine of $5 and costs for drunkenness. Carrie Green, colored, paid a fine of $10 and costs for disorderly conduct. Bradly Bordeaux, colored, drunk and down, was fined $5 and costs.

Archie Hall, colored, was fined $5 and made to pay costs for an assault on Ben Williams, with a knife. The trouble occurred yesterday morning and the defendants were given a hearing before Justice Bornemann, who found Hall guilty and bound him over to the Recorder's court. The justice let Williams off with the costs, it appearing that he got the worst of the deal.

W. L. Faucett, a white man, paid $5 and costs for drunkenness.

Chas. Flowers, colored, was given 30 days on the roads for vagrancy. I. Singletary, also colored, got a similar sentence for a like offense.

Mary King and Louise Robinson, colored, were tried for disorderly conduct, found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $5 each and the costs in the case, or go to the county farm for 30 days each. They will likely go to the farm in default of the amount of the fines and costs.

The cases against Ralph Kennedy, for assault on J. W. Smith and resisting an officer, and R. E. Windham, for interfering with an officer in the performance of his duty, were continued, the defendant Kennedy not being able to be in court. Woodus Kellum, Esq., his attorney, is his bondsman for $50 for his appearance at trial. Kennedy is alleged to have resisted Policeman Merritt, who gave him a severe clubbing, the effects of which will necessitate his being indoors for some days.

It seems from information at police headquarters that Kennedy assaulted Smith, who is a mere boy, in front of a cafe on corner of Eleventh and Chesnut streets, and when officers went to arrest him he put up a stubborn fight, during which he had to be clubbed by Mounted Officer Merritt. The day of the trial will depend upon the condition of Kennedy.

C. W. Leighton, a white man, was before the court on the charge of non-support, his wife being the complainant in the case. She did not appear in court, however, and the defendant was released.

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EINSTEIN BROTHERS COMING

Progressive Kinston Firm Lease Building Formerly Occupied by I. M. Bear & Company—Will Move Here in Fall.

All Wilmington and this section of North Carolina will be interested in the announcement made yesterday that the firm of Einstein Bros., large merchants of Kinston, N. C., have secured a 10-year lease on the five-story building on the southeast corner of Front and Grace streets, recently occupied by I. M. Bear & Company, and will move here after November 1st and open a big wholesale dry goods establishment.

The firm is composed of the five Einstein brothers, among the wealthiest and most progressive citizens of Kinston, and they will be a valuable acquisition to the mercantile interests of Wilmington. The brothers, Messrs. Louis, Adolph, Ed, Arthur and Abe Einstein, leased the building from Mr. John H. Brunjes for a period of nine years and eleven months, beginning on November 1st, 1909, for $300 a month, as appears from the papers filed for record yesterday.

Ever since the I. M. Bear & Company went out of business some time ago there has been considerable speculation as to who would secure the building and for what purpose it would be used. It will be pleasant news to the people of the city that the enterprising Einstein Brothers have secured it and that they will become a part of the commercial life of the city. With them will also come to the city a number of other new residents which will add materially to the city.

Suffered Heavy Fire Loss.

Mr. J. A. McGeachy, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, received information yesterday of a fire at his brother's home, Mr. D. McL. McGeachy, near Lumber Bridge, in Robeson county, in which he sustained the loss of two barns, a stable, a buggy and carriage house and the greater part of the contents of each. On account of the location there was no way to fight the flames, but they were fortunate in saving the stock. Mr. McGeachy is a well known farmer throughout that section and his fire loss will be learned with regret by acquaintances.

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THE MAY MUSIC FESTIVAL

Box Office Remains Open Two Days Longer For Reservation og Single Ticket—The Three Concerts.

Nothing now remains to make a magnificent success of the May Music Festival but that liberal patronage which should be considered a privilege for the Wilmington poeple to accord to an undertaking so large and important.

In addition to the Pittsburg Festival Orchestra and the noted vocalists and instrumental soloists who accompany the organization there will be a mixed chorus of 90 voices under the direction of Mr. E. H. Munson for the final concert and on Wednesday afternoon a chorus of 250 children will sing under the training of Mr. Johnson, organist at St. James, and Miss Lucy L. McIntosh. The afternoon will be in the nature of a popular concert in which all will be especially interested.

The box sheet at the Academy will be open from 12 to 2 P. M. today and tomorrow for all who desire single tickets at $3 for the three concerts or $1.50 for the night and $1 for the single afternoon concert. No one will be shown to seats during the rendition of a number and all are requested to be on hand promptly at 8:30 for the night concerts and 3 P. M. for the matinee. There are a number of very desirable seats yet unreserved and those who expect to attend should call early today. The financial success of the venture is not yet entirely assured.

STATE NORMAL FINALS.

Annual Sermon to Graduating Class Sunday—The Exercises Yesterday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., May 24.—The 17th annual commencement of the State Normal and Industrial College began yesterday with the annual sermon to the graduating class by Rev. Frederick L. Sigmund, D. D., of New York, in place of Dr. W. W. White, who was detained by illness in his family. A musical programme of rare excellence was rendered and at night the annual address was delivered to the Y. W. C. A. by Prof. A. C. Smith, of the chair of English. The attendance is large and the commencement is one of the largest in the history of the school. Saturday the annual reunions and banquets of the literary societies took place and were most charming affairs.

This has been alumnae day and the attendance of alumnae is greater than ever before. The address to the alumnae association was delivered this morning at 10 o'clock and brought the most unstinted praise from those who heard it. Announcement of the incorporation of the association was made at 1 P. M. An alumnae luncheon was served. The class day exercises took place at 5 P. M. and were witnessed by an unusually large audience. Miss Mary Baldwin Mitchell, of Wilmington, who is the president of the graduating class delivered a beautifully worded address of welcome. Miss Jean Booth read the class history, Miss Kate Jefferies the prophecy, Miss Edna Duke the last will and testament of the class, Miss Florence Landis the poem. State Superintendent of Education J. Y. Joyner made an address to the graduating class on the part of the Board of Directors. In the procession in connection with the open air exercises a thousand women including students and alumnae participated. Tonight representative essays of the graduating class were read.

CLUB TO BOOST WILMINGTON

Citizens Urged to Attend Organization Meeting Tonight.

Much interest is being taken by public-spirited citizens in the proposed organization of a club to boost Wilmington and all citizens are urged to attend the meeting at the Court House this evening at 8 o'clock, at which time speeches will be made by some of the chief promoters and definite action will be taken.

Woodus Kellum, Esq., who has been active in the organization scheme has been successful in securing more than 200 signatures of citizens, who express their willingness to become active members, with the ultimate object of making the club a factor in the commercial life of the city. The meeting will be held in the court room promptly at the time mentioned and all are invited.

An enterprising citizen of the city, enthusiastic in the success of the movement, offered to give the club a thousand dollars provided that a hundred other citizens will do likewise. If such donations were secured, making an aggregate amount of one hundred thousand, it is suggested that it be placed on interest to be drawn out ten per cent. at a time for the purpose of buying property and to otherwise promote its operations.

The meeting will be an important one and all citizens are invited, without regard to the petition, or whether one's name appears in the list of signatures.

Won't Slight a Good Friend.

"If ever I need a cough medicine again I know what to get," declares Mrs. A. L. Alley, of Beals, Me., "for, after using ten bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, and seeing its excellent results in my own family and others, I am convinced it is the best medicine made for Coughs, Colds and lung trouble.' Everyone who tries it feels just that way. Relief is felt at once and its quick cure surprises you. For Bronchitis, Asthma, Hemorrhage, Croup, LaGrippe, Sore Throat, pain in chest or lungs it's supreme. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

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FINAL RALLY OF CAMPAIGN

Final Rally Last Night at Fifth and Brunswick—Election Will be Held Tomorrow—Necessity for Exercising Franchise.

The final rally in behalf of public education before the election on a special tax for the support of the schools tomorrow, was held last night at Fifth and Brunswick streets where a goodly number of voters assembled and heard strong argument on the importance of the issue now presented to the people of the county.

Louis Goodman, Esq., presided at the meeting, and the speaking took place from an improvised stand around which were numerous burning tar barrels to call attention to the rally. The speakers were Woodus Kellum, Esq., Mr. D. J. Fergus, Rev. W. E. Hocutt, Mr. W. M. Cumming and K. C. Sidbury, Esq., who lately joined the Wilmington bar for the practice of his profession and who has begun his career most auspiciously with his position on the school question. Mr. Goodman also spoke briefly in concluding the exercises of the evening. All the addresses were strong, convincing and were listened to with much interest.

Tomorrow the election will be held at the seevral polling places in the county between the hours of sunrise and sunset and it is important that every friend of education who is registered goes to the polls and casts his ballot, otherwise his vote will be counted against the schools. It will be too late Thursday to profess friendship for the schools, if the vote is not cast their ballots against public education and the good name of the city.

GIVEN POSSESSION OF HORSE

Interesting Civil Action Heard in Justice Bornemann's Court.

An interesting civil action was heard before Justice Bornemann yesterday morning. The case was entitled Mrs. L. Squires against Theodore Williams and through the action the plaintiff sought to recover a horse which she alleged was being held by the defendant. As previously stated in these columns Mrs. Squires and Williams traded horses about three weeks ago, the former exchanging a blind horse, a calf and $8 in money for a horse which was shown in court to be unsound at the time of the deal. Mrs. Squires complained of the horse and Williams took it back and sent her a mule in its place. She testified that she refused to accept the mule in lieu of the horse.

Williams declined to do any further exchanging with the woman. In the meantime the horse had been doctored and his condition was improved. Failing to get Williams to let her have the horse back Mrs. Squires brought a criminal action in the Recorder's Court against him. The Recorder found the defendant guilty of false pretense and fined him $5 and taxed him with the costs with the understanding that the fine would be remitted in the event he returned the horse to Mrs. Squires. He decided to apepal the case to the Superior Court.

Saturday Mrs. Squires, through her attorney B. G. Empie, Esq., brought a civil action in Justice Bornemann's court for the non-delivery and detention of the horse. The plaintiff in the action, who was represented by L. C. Grant, Esq., contentended that the matter was in the criminal court and that it should be disposed of there first.

Justice Bornemann decided that the plaintiff was wrongfully deprived of the horse and rendered his decision in favor of the plaintiff. The justice threatened to get an execution if the defendant did not turn the horse over at once and he agreed to comply with the instructions of the court.

Mr. Hilliard Player Dead.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Lamb left yesterday morning for Bannerman's Bridge, Pender county, whither they were summoned by a telegram announcing the death Sunday of their uncle, Mr. Hilliard Player, 90 years of age and a well known citizen. The funeral was conducted yesterday and the interment was in the family burying ground at Mt. Williams, Pender county.

J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG COMPANY SUCCESS.

J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company, the enterprising druggists rather than await the ordinary methods of introduction, urged the Dr. Howard Co., to secure a quick sale for their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia by offering the regular 50c bottle at half-price.

So much talk has been caused by this offer, and so many new friends have been made for the specific that the Dr. Howard Co. have authorized druggist J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company to continue this special half-price sale for a limited time longer.

In addition to selling a 50c bottle of Dr. Howard's specific for 25c J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company have so much faith in the remedy that they will refund the money to anyone whom it does not cure.

When your head aches, your stomach does not digest food easily and naturally when there is constipation, specks before the eyes, tired feeling, giddiness, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, heart burn, sour stomach, roaring or ringing in the ears, melancholy and liver troubles Dr. Howard's specific will cure you. If it does not, it will not cost you a cent.

Lived 152 Years.

Wm. Parr—England's oldest man—married the third time at 120, worked in the fields till 132 and lived 20 years longer. People should be youthful at 80. James Wright, of Spurlock, Ky., shows how to remain young. "I feel just like a 16-year-old boy," he writes, "after taking six bottles of Electric Bitters. For thirty years Kidney trouble made life a burden, but the first bottle of this wonderful medicine convinced me I had found the greatest cure on earth." They're a godsend to weak, sickly run-down or old people. Try them. 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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Polvogt's Coupon Sale!

The coupons issued during our recent May Bargain Sale took so well with the Wilmington shoppers that we have decided to devote this whole advertisement for coupons. All you have to do is to cut the coupons out and bring to our store with you when you make your purchases. Each one is worth money to you. No trading stamps will be given on goods advertised with coupons.

Sale One Week--May 24th to May 29th

Coupon Sale of Ladies' Coat Suits

Our entire stock of woolen Spring Suits reduced. anyone presenting this coupon will save 25%

500 Ladies Wash Suits in striped, all white, linen colors, neatly made. Price with coupon, a suit $4

Another lot of $1.25 white Linene Skirts. price with coupons only 69c

35c Ladies figured Lawn Dressing Sacques. price with coupon 25c

89c Long Lawn Kimonas. Price with coupon, each 75c

$10.00 linen, or Rip Wash Suits, with coupon only.. $8.25

$6.00 Fine Mull Princess Dress in white, pink and blue. Price with coupon only, a dress $5.00

$5.00 Taffeta Silk Underskirt, black and colors. Price with coupon..... $3.75

$2.50 and $3.00 Ladies' white Lawn Dress, (Shirt Waist and Skirt) Price with coupon only $1.25

$2.98 fine white Lace Trimmed Shirt Waist. Price with coupon $2.25

$1.39 Tailored Shirt Waists, Cambric collars and cuffs. Price with coupon, each..... $1.00

MILLINERY COUPON SALE.

This sale will be a great saving to those who want Millinery.

10 fine Pattern Hats, sold for $30,00. Price with coupon..... $17.50
12 fine Pattern hats sold for $25.00, Price with coupon $15.00
8 fine Pattern Hats, sold for $20.00. Price with coupon $12.00
12 fine Pattern Hats, sold for $15.00. Price with coupon $8.00
9 fine Pattern Hats, sold for $12.00 Price with coupon $6.50
15 fine Pattern Hats, sold for $10.00. Price with coupon $5.50
7 fine Pattern Hats, sold for $8.00. Price with coupon $4.50

Flowers and fancy feathers, ribbon and millinery trimming all reduced.

COUPON SALE OF CARPETS AND MATTING.

Our 35c heavy China Matting, 200 rolls to select from. Price with this coupon, laid..... 27 1-2c
Our 40c Fiber Carpet, sewed, made and lined, with this coupon, price a yard..... 30c
$1.25 printed Linoleum, 2 yards wide. Price with this coupon, only, a yard..... 98c
$12.50 fine quality Fiber Art Square, size 9x12 feet. Price with coupon $10.00
$1.25 fine Sultan Velvet Carpet in parlor, room, hall and stair. Price with coupon, a yard..... $1.05 This includes making, laying and lined.
$1.00 fine Brussell Carpets in a large variety of patterns, price with coupon..... 90c Sewed, laid and lined.

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES.

Good quality Sheet for double bed. Price with coupon.. 59c
Good quality Sheet for three-quarter bed. Price with coupon 49c
Good quality Pillow Case, full size. Price with coupon.. 10c
81x90 Best Sheet for double bed. Price with coupon.... 69c
90x90 Best Sheet for double bed. Price with coupon.... 79c
12 1-2c large Huck Towels, special price with coupon.... 8c

Coupon Sale of Table Linen and Towels

Our $1.00 Mercerized Table Napkins. Price with coupon, per dozen..... 80c
Our $1.25 Mercerized Table Napkins. Price with coupon, per dozen..... $1.05
Our $1.75 half bleached German Table Napkins. Price with coupon, per dozen..... $1.40
Our $2.00 all linen bleached Table Napkins Price with coupon, per dozen..... $1.65
Our $3.00 Table Napkins, extra quality Price with coupon, per dozen..... $2.40
Our $3.50 Fine Table Napkins. Price with coupon, per dozen..... $2.85
75c Bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide. Price with coupon, per yard..... 60c
85c Heavy Bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide Price with coupon, per yard..... 69c
$1.00 Fine Bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide Price with coupon, per yard..... 85c
$1.25 extra quality Table Damask Price with coupon, per yard..... $1.05
$1.50 Satin bleached Table Damask. Price with coupon, per yard only..... $1.20
15c bleached Turkish Towel. Price with coupon, each..... 10c
16 2-3 bleached Turkish Towel. Price with coupon, each..... 12 1-2c
35c very large Turkish Towel Price with coupon 25c
15c Huck Towel, large size. Price with coupon, each..... 11c

COUPON SALE OF SILKS.

36-inch black warranted Taffeta Silk, sold for $1.25 price with coupons, a yard..... 95c
$1.00 and $1.25 fancy Foulard Silk in all colors, price with coupons, a yard..... 90c
$1.00 fancy Foulard Satins, 24 inches wide. Special price with coupons, a yard..... 69c
27-inch fancy Taffeta Silk, worth $1.00 a yard. Price with coupons 59c
59c Rough Pongee Silks in all shades. Price with coupons 45c
Rough Japonica Silk in evening shades, worth 40c. Price with coupon 33c
35c plain Japonica Silk, 27 inches wide. Price with coupons 30c
50c figured and flowered Silk Mouselines. Price with coupon, a yard..... 30c

COUPON SALE OF BAGS AND TRUNKS.

$20.00 Trunks. Price with coupon..... $17.50
$15.00 Trunks. Price with coupon..... $13.00
$10.00 Trunks. Price with coupon..... $8.50
$8.00 Trunks. Price with coupon..... $6.75
$10.00 Leather Suit Cases, with coupon..... $8.00
$7.50 Leather Suit Cases, with coupon..... $6.00
$5.00 Leather Suit Cases, with coupon..... $4.35
$5.00 Leather Bags, with coupon..... $4.35
25c Straw Baskets, with coupon..... 5c
$1.00 Straw Grips. Price with coupon..... 75c
75c Straw Grips. Price with coupon..... 60c
50c Straw Grips, Price with coupon..... 40c

COUPON SALE OF WHITE GOODS.

12-yard pieces Long Cloth, our regular $1.50 quality, sold with this coupon for, piece.. $1.25
12-yard pieces Nainsook or Long Cloth, fine quality, worth $2.50 a piece. Price with this coupon only, a piece..... $2.10
30-inch fine white Persian Lawn, worth 15c a yard. With this coupon, price a yard..... 11c
15c white Killarney Linen, 40-inches wide. Price with coupon only, a yard 12 1-2c
35c fine French Lawn, 45 inches wide, 50 pieces to close out. Price with coupon, a yard..... 18c
15c Lonsdale Cambric, limit of 10 yards to a customer. Price with coupon only, a yard..... 10c
25c and 35c fancy white goods, Lawn and Madras. Price with coupon only, a yard..... 15c
10-4 Linen Sheeting worth $1.25. Price with coupon.. 90c

NOTIONS AND SMALL WEAR.

25c Tourist Rushing, with coupon..... 15c
15c Talcum Powder, with coupon..... 10c
25c lb. Talcum Powder, with coupon..... 19c
10c Talcum Powder, with coupon..... 6c
5c card Hooks and Eyes, with coupon..... 2c
50c fancy Tuck Combs, with coupon..... 25c
25c Ribbons, with coupon, price..... 25c
15c Children's Ribbed Vests. Price with coupon, each... 7c
15c Children's Cambric Drawers, with coupon..... 8c

Remember, bringing these coupons to our store when you purchase the above advertised items will save you money. This Coupon Sale is for one week only—May 24th to May 29th, inclusive.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Winston-Salem, N. C., May 22.—The R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., will build a mammoth tobacco factory here which will require nearly 1,000,000 brick. Part will be five stories and other four stories. The excavation for the building is now in progress.

Raleigh, N. C., May 23.—Prof. J. A. Bivens, of the Department of Public Instruction, has returned from Pates, Robeson county, where he attended the closing exercises of the Croatan Normal School. He reports that good work is being done in that school.

—The Sixth Annual Meeting of the Board of Examiners of Trained Nurses of North Carolina will be held at Raleigh June 22, 23, 24, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The meetings will be held in the Raleigh High School Building, beginning at 2 P. M. Tuesday, June 23rd.

—Lumberton, May 23.—At a recent meeting of stockholders of the Bank of Lumberton the directors were authorized to increase the capital stock not less than $25,000 nor more than $50,000 at the discretion of the directors. The directors were also authorized to take over the present savings deposits of the Robeson County Loan and Trust Company and to open and continue a savings department.

—Carthage, N. C., May 22.—Pineview school has just voted a local tax. This is the seventh and last of the white schools in McNeill township to adopt the tax. One colored district, in which there is not a single white voter, adopted local tax last year. Keyser in Sand Hill township also voted local tax last Saturday. This is the sixteenth local tax district for Moore county.

—Washington, D. C., aMy 20.—The Senate sub-judiciary committee, appointed to pass upon the nomination of Judge Connor, decided this afternoon to report in favor of confirmation. The action of the committee was unanimous. Similar action is expected by the full committee which meets Monday. No opposition to the confirmation of Judge Connor's nomination has made its appearance before the judiciary committee and none is expected.

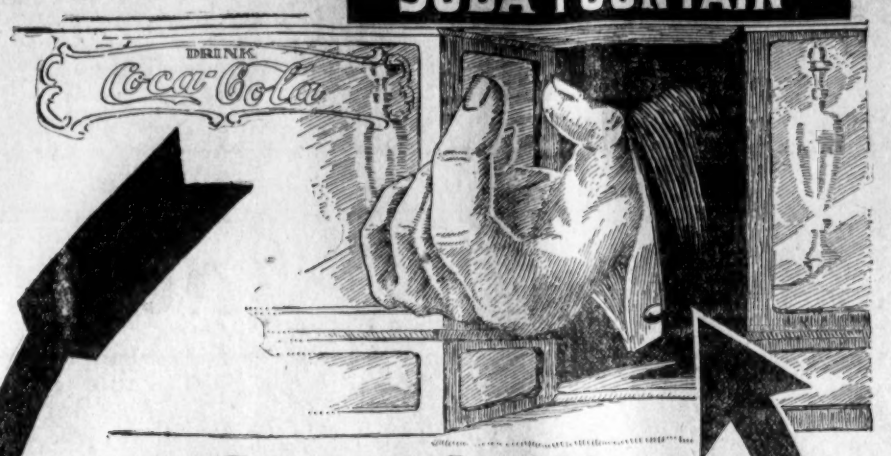
—Sheville, N. C., May 22.—After brooding for several weeks over ill health financial difficulties and the suicide of a brother in Salt Lake City Mrs. Mamie V. Brown, a beautiful young woman of 23 years, last night at the country place of Mrs. John O'Donnell, several miles from the city, where Mrs. Brown was a guest for two weeks, wrote a note to the effect that there was no more in life for her and drank the contenst of a bottle of carbolic acid. Her body was found lying across the bed this morning, entirely robed. The suicide of Mrs. Brown came as a shock to a number of Asheville people whose acquaintance she had made during her two years' residence at this place.

—Wadesboro, N. C., May 22.—Sheriff Martin searched the cell occupied by J. L. Fox at the county jail this afternoon and found several saws of extra good quality about seven inches long. The search was the result of information given the sheriff by another prisoner. Fox denied all knowledge of the presence of the saws. Fox was sentenced to the penitentiary for twelve years at April term of Superior Court for killing W. S. Watson. His attorneys appealed but have not perfected appeal. Time has expired and the solicitor had granted an extension. Fox has been sick for several days. It is not known how, he secured the says. Several months ago another prisoner secured similar tools but was discovered by the sheriff before an escape was made.

—Rockingham Post: "After long and weary waiting the great dam at Blewett's Falls has linked the two counties. All day Monday and Monday night those great throbibng pumps were kept steadily at work and at noon Tuesday concrete was put on the solid rock bottom of the river and the two mighty stretches of dam, one from the Anson bank and the other from the Richmonr bank were joined together. The engineers and workmen had to fight to make this last link. The depth was much greater than at any former stretch and for the first time they had the whole current of the river to fight. But they won and the Blewett dam now crosses the Great Pee Dee. Of course it is not finished, not by months. But work is now going on, will continue and early in 1910 the mammoth enterprise will be "tistory," and great history, at that."

—Durham, N. C., May 22.—There was quite a sensation at the Murray Hotel this morning just before noon when a rifle shot was fired and Mrs. J. T. Butler, the wife of one of the proprietors of the hotel, called for the police officers and said that Charles S. Dorsey, son of the other member of the hotel firm, and who was night clerk, had attempted to shoot her. The police were quickly on the job and the young man was arrested. His father is not in town, being now on a northern trip, and his bond has not been arranged. The case is set for Monday morning. Mrs. Butler, in the presence of her husband, said that the night clerk had been to the basement and brought up a rifle. She said that he passed her door several times and that later when she went into the dining room the noise made by the door caused him to fire. The ball missed her about a foot and passed through the screen door. It was then that Mrs. Butler called for the police and the man was arrested. The aged mother of the young man is now at the hotel but his father has gone north on a trip. As soon as he returns, which will probably be by Monday, there will be a different story—it will be a story that will mean a fight in the courts. The young man says that he had the gun in his room and that it was accidentally fired.

SODA FOUNTAIN



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Mr. Fritz Goerner, Violincellist.
Mr. Otto Kegel, Trumpeter.
Mr. Joseph Schnecker, Harpist.

Special Railroad Rates

The Railroads have made a rate of two cents per mile distance traveled from Florence, Hamlet, Red Springs, Fayetteville, Goldsboro, Newbern, Kinston, Beaufort and immediate stations.

Dates of sale will be May 25th and 26th, with return limit May 28th.

SEASON TICKETS.

Double season tickets, admitting two persons to the three concerts will be $5.00. Single season tickets admitting one person to the three concerts will be $3.00, on sale to and including May 22nd. After May 22nd the price will be $1.50 each for the night concerts and $1.00 for the afternoon concert. Mail all subscriptions and orders for season tickets, checks enclosed, including postage, to Mrs. J. M. Solky, Treasurer North Carolina Sorosis, Wilmington, N. C.

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Will be received at the Clerk and Treasurer's office until 11 o'clock A. M., May 28th for collecting and removing all trash beyond the city limits. Contracts for this work will be considered for one or two years. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

WM. E. SPRINGER,
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Notice is hereby given to the public that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Jesse Mason, convicted at June 1905 term of the Superior Court of New Hanover County for the crime of assault with intent to kill, secret assault, and sentenced to the penitentiary for the term of six years.

This 6th day of May, 1909.

(Signed) MARY J. MASON,
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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.

No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:25 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York. No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent, or Call Phone No. 1294.

J. D. EDWARDS,
Union Ticket Agent,
F. A. FETTER,
Agent.
Phone 36, Wilmington, N. C.
C. H. GATTIS,
District Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

State of North Carolina, County of Bladen:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage, executed by W. D. Shaw and wife, on the 8th day of June, 1908, to the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company, and recorded in Book 16, page 343, in Register of Deeds office of Bladen county, will on the 27th day of May, 1909, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of Bladen County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to-wit:

First Tract, known and designated as follows: Known as the A. H. Perry homestead, bounded on the north by D. R. Perry, and on the south by Benson, containing 26 acres, more or less, and being R. P. McDougald's draw in the division of her father's estate.

Second Tract, beginning at a stake known as the Perry and Benson corner, and runs south 68, west 26 chains to a stake near Reedy Branch; thence south 78, west 30 1-2 chains to a stake; thence 2 east, 12 chains to a stake near the Perry school house; thence 56 west, 30 chains to a stake; thence south 69 east to the beginning, containing 82 acres.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1909.

SOUTHERN MUTUAL HOME AND REAL ESTATE COMPANY.
C. D. WEEKS, Attorney.
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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 16, 1909.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departure are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	8:35 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar. Petersburg	7:00 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:52 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:48 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:32 am	1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND. Via Wilson.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Florence	9:05 am	7:20 pm	3:45 am
Ar. Col'bia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Cha'ston.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	6:40 am
Ar. Savh.	6:35 pm	2:15 am	9:00 am
Ar. Jk'ville.		7:15 am	1:20 pm
Ar. Tampa.		7:00 pm	10:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	9:05 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	1:10 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:39 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:25 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv 9:30 am

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TO

THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 1st, 1909.

Leave Front & Princess Streets	Leave Wirghtsville (For Wilmington)	Leave Beach
	* 6:20 A. M.	
* 6:30 A. M.	* 7:25 A. M.	* 7:15 A. M.
* 7:00 A. M.	* 7:55 A. M.	* 7:45 A. M.
* 8:00 A. M.	* 8:25 A. M.	
8:30 A. M.	@9:25 A. M.	@9:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:00 P. M.	2:55 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
and every half hour until	and every half hour until	and every half hour until
10:00 P. M.		
11:00 P. M.	10:55 P. M. 11:30 P. M.	10:45 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

@On Sundays this car will leave the Beach at 9:45 instead of 9:15; and leave Wrightsville at 9:55 instead of at 9:25.

SCHEDULE CAROLINA PLACE CAR

Leave Front & Princess	Leave 17th & Market	Leave Golf Grounds
6:45 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	
and every 20 minutes thereafter until	and every 20 minutes thereafter until	
2:45 P. M.	2:35 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
and every half hour until	and every half hour until	and every half hour until
9:45 P. M.	10:05 P. M.	10:00 P. M.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

Freight car leaves 9th and Orange streets daily except Sunday at 10:00 A. M. and at 4:00 P. M. On Sundays at 11:00 A. M.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 23.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, steady 36 1-2 cents.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Firm $1.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm $1.75 per barrel for hard; $2.75 for dip, and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, 41 1-2 cents; rosin steady $2.45; tar firm $1.60; crude turpentine firm $2.25, $3.00 and $4.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	112
Rosin	193
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	19

Receipts, same day last year 117 casks spirits turpentine; 378 barrels rosin; 15 barrels tar; 106 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 10 3-4 cents for middling.

Some day last year—Steady 11 3-8 cents.

Receipts—488 bales, same day last year 1,068.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 22nd.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 50@55c; extra prime, 65c; fancy 70c; Virginia, prime 65@70c; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish 95@$1.00.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Steady; hams, new 15c; shoulders 12 1-2@13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 19@20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Good demand at 20@30c for large springs; growns good demand, 40@45c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 10c; green, 7c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel. Native new 90c to $1.25 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 70@75c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Free of burr, 17c; burry wool 10 to 12c.

TURKEYS—Good demand, 15c per lb. on foot; dressed 18c.

GEESE—Dull 50c per head; dressed 50c.

PORK—Good demand 8@9c; corn fed 9c for small pork.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 24.—The cotton market showed more nervousness and irregularity than any real tendency during today's trading, with the close very steady, net two points lower to six points higher. The market opened barely steady at a decline of 3 to 8 points, and soon sold 8 to 11 points net lower under liquidation and local bear pressure; ;the former being evidently in the way of reducing long lines for over the holidays and the government report, while the latter was actuated by somewhat disappointing cables, further light showers in the southwest, more encouraging crop accounts from Texas and the idea that the recent advance had over discounted a bullish bureau. But instead of becoming more active on a scale down, the volume of business seemed to diminish suggesting that the remaining long interest was by no means uneasy and the market steadied up during the middle of the day on a renewed demand from Wall street and western bull, and on covering by recent sellers for a turn. After selling 1 to 8 points higher, the advance being led by new crop months, while the other crop was set by talk of larger arrivals here for delivery on contracts, the market became slightly easier owing to the fact that offerings on long cotton seemed to increase on the bulges, but was, on the whole, pretty well sustained, with the new crop months generally 2 to 8 points net higher at the close.

Southern spot markets reported early were generally unchanged to 4 points lower. A canvass of 56 members of the local trade indicated an average expectation of a bureau report showing a condition of 74.5 per cent. and a decrease of 2 per cent. in acreage. A private report published by a local authority placed the condition at 72.7 per cent., and the acreage at 6-8 per cent. less than last year.

Receipts at the ports today 13,538 bales against 8,669 last week and 9,493 last year. For the week 85,000 bales against 88,831 last week and 64,588 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 3,681 bales against 3,616 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 11.65; middling 11.90 sales 6,300.

Futures opened barely steady and closed very steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
May	11.22	11.24
June	——	11.05
July	10.97	11.03
August	10.84	10.92
September	10.78	10.84
October	10.72	10.81
November	——	10.80
December	10.74	10.82
January	10.64	10.75
March	10.63	10.77

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 10 7-8; net receipts 1,647; stock 66,457.

New Orleans—Quiet, 10 5-8; net receipts 3,681; stock 177,024.

Mobile—Steady, 10 7-8; net receipts 698; stock 16,268.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 7-8; net receipts 2,107; stock 51,899.

Charleston—Quiet, 11.00; net receipts 30; stock 5,951.

Wilmington—Quiet, 10 3-4; net receipts 488; stock 1,297.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts 2,412; stock 15,833.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1-4; stock 6,177.

New York—Quiet, 11.65; net receipts 400; stock 156,288.

Boston—Quiet, 11.65.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.90; net receipts 54; stock 3,237.

Pensacola—Net receipts 1,901.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 121.

Total today, at all ports, Net 13,538; Great Britain 600; Continent 22,584; Stock 500,446.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 31,604; Great Britain 3,150; France 50; Continent 28,034.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 9,517,529; Great Britain 3,271,578; France 982,289; Continent 3,247,842; Japan 194,900; Mexico 16,129.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Quiet, 10 3-4; net receipts 4,619; stock 55,283.

Augusta—Steady, 11.00; net receipts 85; stock 28,714.

Memphis—Firm, 10 5-8; net receipts 388; stock 64,546.

St. Louis—Steady, 10 3-4; net receipts 101; stock 33,516.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 292; stock 18,514.

Louisville—Firm, 10 7-8.

Little Rock—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 627; stock 26,073.

Total today—Net receipts 6,112; gross receipts 7,064; shipments 8,922; sales 785; stock 226,644.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, May 24.—Cotton: Spot quiet; prices 6 points lower. American middling 6.37; good middling 6.01; middling 5.81; low middling 5.63; good ordinary 5.34; ordinary 4.99.

The sales of the day were 7,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 6,600 American. Receipts 15,000 bales, including 16,700 American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady. May and May and June 5.63; June and July 5.69 1-2; July and August 5.74 1-2; August and September 5.70 1-2; September and October 5.68; October and November 5.66 1-2; November and December 5.65 1-2; December and January, January and February 5.65; February and March March and April 5.65 1-2.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 24.—The cotton goods market is firmer and higher on wide printcloths. Bleached goods have been bought freely today by some of the leading jobbers and all probability of a reduction following the revision in high priced goods has passed. Cutters and jobbers are duplicating orders on fall dress goods. The yarns markets hold very firm but trading is still light. The raw silk market is very quiet, interest centering on the new crop prices.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 24.—The speculative movement in stocks was hampered today by the appearance of an incipient crop scare of moderate proportions. The character of some of the assertions made by professional crop experts regarding conditions in Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma was disliked by the bulls in stocks, although highly relished by the bull party in wheat as witnessed by the soaring in the price of wheat to new high levels. This crop scare was the only cause discernible for the check to the speculation, which started fairly in continuation of the movement in progress on Saturday. London helped the early strength in the copper industrials the metal advancing in price in that market and a lively speculation in copper mining shares was an accompaniment. The conspicuous strength of Northern Pacific and Great Northern preferred was traceable to rumors of an intention to raise the Chicago, Baltimore and Quincy dividend to ten per cent.

United States Steel was strong, touching a new high record. A favorable impression was made by the determination of Fall River manufacturers to forego their privilege of reducing wages under a sliding scale arrangement, the action being received as an evidence of confidence in the outlook. The smart rise in the Eries at the end of the day was taken to indicate an early announcement of financing. This helped to pull up prices elsewhere and left net prices little changed.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, were $3,468,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call Total sales today 489,700 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 24.—Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-8 to 2, closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4. Time loans very soft and dull; sixty days 2 to 2 1-2 per cent., and ninety days 2 1-2 per cent. Six months 3 to 3 1-4.

Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8630 to .35 for sixty day bills and at 4.8750 for demand. Commercial bills 4.85 3-4 to 4.86 1-8. Bar silver 52 7-8; Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refuding 2s reg	101 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	101 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	102
U. S. 4s reg	118 3-4
U. S. 4s cou	121
American Tobacco Co. 6s	112 1-8
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 5s b	96 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	101 1-8
L. & N. Unified 4s b	100 5-8
Seaboard Air Line 4s b	84 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	112
U. S. Steel 3rd 5s	104 5-8

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	83 5-8
Amr. Cor & Foundry	56 1-4
Amr. Cotton Oil Co.	65 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	57
Amr. Smelting & Ref	93 3-4
Amr. Smelton & Ref pfd	109 1-4
Amr. Sugar Refining	133
Atchison	109 5-8
Atchison pfd	104 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line	128
Baltimore & Ohio	114 5-8
Chesapeake & Ohio	78 1-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	151 1-4
Colorado & Southern	64 3-4
Erie	35
Erie 1st pfd	52
Erie 2nd pfd	41 1-2
Great Northern pfd	147 5-8
Kansas City Southern	46 3-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	73 3-4
L. & N.	139
Northern Pacific	148 1-8
Pennsylvania	135
People's Gas	114 7-8
Reading	157 7-8
Republic Steel pfd	91
Rock Island Co.	32 1-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	70 1-4
Southern Pacific	122 7-8
Southern Pacific pfd	126
Southern Railway	31 1-2
Southern Railway pfd	70 1-2
Standard Oil Co.	672
Union Pacific	188 5-8
U. S. Steel	60 1-4
U. S. Steel pfd	119 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	50 5-8
Western Union	75 3-4
Westinghouse Electric Co.	83 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 24.—Flour firmer with demand quiet.

Rye Flour and Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Sopt strong; No. 2 red 1.45 nominal elevator. Options 3-4 to 2 1-8c net rise. May 1.40 1-4; July 1.26; Sept. 1.17 3-4; Dec. 1.16 1-8.

Corn—Sopt firm; oN. 2, 85 elevator, 81 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Options 1c net higher; May 85; July 79 3-4; Sept 76 3-8.

Oats—Spot strong; mixed 63.

Lard and Pork—Firm.

Tallow, Rice and Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3.42 to 3.45.

Coffee—Spot quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 7-8 to 8; Santos No. 4, 8 7-8 to 9. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 3-4. Futures closed steady net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Butter—Steady to firm; creamery specials 26 1-2 to 27; official price 26 1-2; extras 26; third to firsts 21 to 25 1-2; State dairy common to finest 21 to 26; process, common to specials 17 to 23 1-2.

Cheese—Steady; New, State full cream, specials 13 to 13 1-2; do large or small, colored or small white 12 1-2; do common to fair 9 to 11; skims, full to special 20 to 21.

Eggs—Firm; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby selected white 26 to 26 1-2; do fair to choice 24 1-2 to 25 1-2; brown and mixed fancy 24 to 24 1-2; do fair 22 1-2 to 23 1-2; Southern first 21 to 21 1-2; seconds 20 to 20 1-2.

Cotton Seed Oil—Steady to firm on covering of shorts buying by refiners and compound lard makers and bull support. May 5.73 to 5.77; July 5.85 to 5.85; September 6.07 to 6.18; October 6.08 to 6.10. Prime crude 4.73 to 80; prime summer yellow 5.75 to 5.79; do white 6.05 to 6.30; winter yellow 6.10 to 6.15.

Potatoes—Irregular; Bermuda per barrel 3.50 to 5:25; southern new 1.50 to 4.25; Maine in bulk per 1.80 pounds 2.75 to 3.00; state 2.62 to 2.87; European per bag 1.00 to 2.00; Jersay sweets per basket 75c to 2.12.

Cabbages—Firmer; southern per crate 50 to 85c.

Freights to Liverpool—Sunday; cotton by steam 14c; grain by steam 1 1-2d.

Peanuts—Firm; fancy handpicked 4 3-4 to 5; other domestic 2 to 5.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 24.—New high record marks for the season were established for the leading grain on the board of trade today during a session marked by extreme bullishness. Wheat for May delivery scored a gain of nearly 2c compared with the previous best mark, the top today being reached at 1.34 1-4. Corn for May delivery sold up to 74 1-2 and the same delivery of oats touched 62 3-4. Provisions also made sharp gains.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open	High	Close
Wheat.			
May	1 32 1-2	1 34 1-4	1 34 1-8
July	1 17 1-2	1 19 1-8	1 18 7-8
Sept	1 08 3-4	1 12	1 11 1-4
Dec.	1 06 7-8	1 09 7-8	1 09 1-4
Corn.			
May	72 7-8	74 1-2	74 3-8
July	69 1-2	70 5-8	70 1-2
Sept	67 5-8	68 3-8	68 1-4
Dec.	58 1-8	58 5-8	58 1-2
Oats.			
May	61 3-4	62 3-4	62 1-4
July	54 5-8	55 1-4	55 1-4
Sept	45 1-2	45 7-8	45 3-4
Dec.	46 1-8	46 1-2	46 3-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
May	18 35	18 52 1-2	18 52 1-2
July	18 37 1-2	18 57 1-2	18 55
Sept	18 40	18 60	18 60
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
May	10 70	10 72 1-2	10 72 1-2
July	10 70	10 75	10 72 1-2
Sept	10 80	10 87 1-2	10 87 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
May	10 20	10 20	10 20
July	10 12 1-2	10 22 1-2	10 22 1-2
Sept	10 17 1-2	10 25	10 25

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 24.—Turpentine and rosin quiet.

Savannah, Ga., May 24.—Spirits turpentine firm 37 3-4 to 38; sales 180; receipts 636; shipments 669.

Rosin firm; sales 1,408; receipts 1,837; shipments 804; stock 119,316. Quote: A. B. C. 2.70 to 2.95; D, 3.25 to 3.35; E, 3.60; F, 3.70 to 3.90; G, 3.75 to 3.90; H, 4.00; I, 4.40; K, 4.80; M, 4.85; N, 4.90; WG, 5.25; WW, 5.25.

Charleston, S. C. May 24.—Turpentine quiet 37 1-2 to 38.. Rosin. Quote: A. B. C. 2.70 to 3.15; D, 3.25 to 3.35; E, 3.60 to 3.65; F, 3.85 to 4.00; G, 4.00 to 4.05; I, 4.40; K, 4.80; M, 4.85; N, 4.90; WG, 5.00; WW, 5.15.

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Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 24, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—2 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—57 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—427 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—12 casks spirits turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—3 barrels rosin, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Str Whitlock—11 casks spirits turpentine, 64 barrels rosin, 15 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Bessie Moore—60 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels rosin.

Schr. M. Francis—3 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels rosin.

Schr. C. T. Herman—4 bales cotton, 22 casks spirits turpentine, 83 barrels rosin.

Total—488 bales cotton, 112 casks spirits turpentine, 193 barrels rosin, 19 barrels crude turpentine.

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR SCHOOL TAX.

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1909 session entitled, "An Act for the better maintenance and support of the Public Schools of New Hanover county", the Board of Education of said county having requested this Board to submit to a vote of the qualified electors of New Hanover county the question, "Shall New Hanover County levy a special tax for the better maintenance and support of the Public Schools of said county?" do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified electors of New Hanover county on Wednesday, the 26th day of May, 1909, between the hours of sunrise and sunset, to determine whether New Hanover county shall levy a special tax for the better maintenance and support of the Public Schools of said county. At said election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them the words "For Public School Tax," or "Against Public School Tax." All qualified voters who favor the levy of the special tax shall vote "For Public School Tax." All qualified voters who are opposed thereto shall vote "Against Public School Tax." For the purposes of this election, as authorized by the said Act, the said Board of Commissioners do hereby order a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places for the several townships, precincts and wards and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of Election in the said townships, precincts and wards, to-wit:

Cape Fear Township: Blossom's Store, Castle Hayne, N. C.; Wm. B. Hand, registrar; W. H. Shearin, J. H. Johnston, judges of election.

Harnett Township, 1st Division: Delgado Commissary; T. A. Compton, registrar; John Goley, Bishop Weaver, judges of election.

Harnett Township, 2nd Division: Township House; J. A. Everett, registrar; James N. Shepard, George R. Smith, judges of election.

Masonboro Township: Township House; W. H. Biddle, registrar; William Lumsden, Andrew Capps, judges of election.

Federal Point Township: Capps' Store; Henry Taylor, registrar; J. A. Biddle, Hill Williams, judges of election.

Wilmington, 1st Ward: Fourth Street Engine House; W. McD. Evans registrar; G. H. Heyer, C. L. Spencer, judges of election.

Wilmington, 2nd Ward: J. J. Furlong's office, 210 Princess street; W. W. Hodges, registrar; T. W. Wood, W. E. Worth, judges of election.

Wilmington, 3rd Ward: Giblem Lodge; C. H. Ward, registrar; L. B. Rogers, L. B. Sasser, judges of election.

Wilmington, 4th Ward: N. Schloss' stable; Jas. T. Reily, registrar; Roger Moore, W. A. French, judges of election.

Wilmington, 5th Ward: Market House, 5th and Castle streets; J. W. Gafford, registrar; R. A. Burnett, W. W. King, judges of election.

The Registration books of each township, ward and precinct shall be kept open between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset of each day, Sundays excepted, for twenty (20) days, beginning the 22nd day of April 1909, for the registration of electors, and the said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before the said election, to-wit: on the 15th day of May, 1909, and on Saturday, the 24th day of April, 1909, and on Saturdays, the first, eighth and fifteenth days of May, 1909, the Registrars shall attend with their respective books at the polling places of their respective townships, wards and precincts for the registration of electors.

The Registrars shall attend at the polling places of their respective townships, wards or precincts, on the Saturday preceeding the election, to-wit: May 22nd, 1909, from the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. until the hour of 3 o'clock P. M., when and where the said books will be open to the inspection of the electors of said township, ward or precinct, and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This April 19th, 1909.

DUNCAN McEACHERN,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County.

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LOST IN THE EIGHTH

(Continued From First Page.)
unfruitful endeavor in the ninth has already been told.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Sharpe, 2b	4	0	1	0	4	0
Streaser, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	3	5	0
Kite, c	4	0	0	2	0	0
Fox, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Brodie, rf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Jayes, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Simmons, ss	3	0	0	3	1	0
Howard, p	3	0	0	0	3	2
*Levy, P	1	0		0	0	0
	33	0	4	23	13	2

*Batted for Howard in ninth.

Raleigh.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Dawson, rf	4	1	0	4	0	0
Crozier, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hoffman, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Murray, 2b	4	0	2	1	3	0
Brumfield, ss	3	0	1	2	1	0
Hoover, 2b	2	0	1	0	1	1
Hass, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Wrenn, c	3	0	0	9	0	0
Pope, p	3	0	0	0	2	1
	25	1	4	27	7	3

Score by Innings.

Wilmington	000 000 000	0	4
Raleigh	000 000 01x	1	4

Batteries: Howard and Kite; Pope and Wrenn. Attendance 500. Umpire, McGuirk. Weather cloudy.

Giants Take Another.

Goldsboro, N. C., May 24.—The Giants defeated the Tobacconists, score 7 to 5, two fast double plays, Crocket Zanelli to Crocket, and Kelly to Crocket being the special features, while Moore, of Wilson, kept up his trick of getting hit by pitched ball for which he was noted last season. Lane and Gilmore did the aerial stunt for Wilson in the sixth and 7th innings. Score:

Goldsboro	100 013 20x	7	9
Wilson	110 012 000	5	6

Batteries: Quinn, Stoeher and Fulton; Ferrall, Lane and Gilmore, Holt. Umpire, Barre. Time 2 hours.

Fayetteville Took One.

Fayetteville, N. C., May 24.—Fayetteville took the first game of the series from Rocky Mount today, 1 to 0. Score:

Rocky Mount	000 000 000	0	4
Fayetteville	000 100 00x	1	2

Batteries: Womack and Stephens; Waters and Durhlin. Umpire, McLaughlin.

HIS FORMAL RESIGNATION.

Rev. Dr. Hale Notifies His Congregation of His Decision to Leave.

The formal resignation of Rev. Dr. Fred D. Hale as pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city was presented to his congregation at the morning service Sunday. The letter of resignation was read just before the sermon and again at the business meeting of the church which was held immediately after the service. The resignation is effective next Sunday and as has already been announced Dr. Hale has accepted a call to the pastorate of the McKinney Avenue Baptist Church, of Dallas, Texas. He has been pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city for the past five and a quarter years and it is with sincere regret that his congregation relinquishes him.

In his letter Dr. Hale says that he regrets that he is to leave Wilmington and the church he loves so well, but that he feels that it is his duty to go to the Texas field where he believes he is needed worse. He thanks the members of the church and others who have aided him in building up the church here and predicts still greater things for the church in the future.

THE COOL SNAP

Not Unprecedented But Quite Unusual For Time of Years.

Yesterday witnessed the passing of the cool wave, which has prevailed throughout this section since Saturday. The only effect of the unseasonable weather so far as crops are concerned will be to increase the ravages of the cut worm, but otherwise there will be no damage.

Many people thought the low temperature was unprecedented for the time of year, but Observer Felger of the Weather Bureau, says not. The thermometer reached its lowest, 50 degrees, yesterday morning at 7 o' clock but on May 23rd 1877 the record was surpassed with 48 degrees, which continued for several days. Two years ago on May 23rd, the same low reading was registered, so that while the weather has been quite cool, it was by no means unprecedented. On account of the weather, there was very little travel to the beach Sunday and fires and overcoats in town were much in evidence.

Education in Topsail Township.

Mr. D. J. Fergus has returned from a very pleasant visit to Topsail township, Pender county. He says the people are already waging a campaign in favor of education and will hold an election on special tax of 25c on the $100 valuation early in June and that the election will be carried. He says there is strong sentiment in favor of annexing the township to New Hanover, though nothing definite, of course, can be done until the Legislature meets two years hence.

Sunday School Picnics.

Four hundred Sunday School children spent a delightful day at Lumina yesterday as the guests of the Tidewater Power Company. The children composed the Sunday Schools of Grace Methodist Church and Bladen Street Methodist Church, there being 300 from the former and 100 from the latter. The return trip was made late in the afternoon. The Sunday Schools of St. Paul's and St. John's Episcopal churches will picnic at Lumina today.

4 Per Cent. Interest From June 1st.

On Savings Deposits received by this Company on or before June 2nd we will allow 4 per cent. interest, compounded quarterly, from June 1st. No notice required before withdrawals. The largest and strongest Savings Bank in North Carolina. Write for statement and rules governing deposits. The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company. ma 19-tf.

NEGRO LYNCHED IN GEORGIA.

Assailant of White Farmer Victim of Mob—Notice on Body.

Augusta, Ga., May 24.—Early today Albert Aiken, a negro, was taken from the jail at Lincolnton, Lincoln county, Ga., and swung to a tree at Dry Fork Creek, three miles from Lincolnton. The body was filled with bullets. Upon the body was pinned this placard:

"Notice: This is what will happen to all negroes in Lincoln county under similar circumstances.

(Signed) "Regulators."

Aiken cut John Spires, a white farmer, Thursday. Spires' condition grew worse and he is now reported dying. The white people in Lincoln say that negro secret societies are being formed for illegal acts and the inference is that by the lynching it is hoped to awe the negroes.

ENDORSED SCHOOL TAX.

Boys' Brigade Held Important Meeting Last Night—Encampment.

At an enthusiastic and largely attended meeting of the Boys' Brigade last night, after listening to an able address by Col. Walker Taylor, the commander, the special tax for public schools was unanimously endorsed and every member of the Brigade, so far as consistent with the generosity of their employers, pledged himself to go to the polls tomorrow and work actively all day for the success of the issue. This will be a powerful influence in carrying the election for schools and with these energetic young fellows at the polls there can be no doubt of the success of the election.

The question of the encampment was postponed until the first meeting in June.

Missing Lad at Carolina Beach.

Charles Iredell Morton, the nine-year-old son of Mr. C. Morton, of 708 South Fifth street, who disappeared from home Saturday afternoon, causing his parents and friends no end of anxiety, has been located at Carolina Beach, where he is being cared for and will be brought back to the city today. His father and the police searched for him for two days before receiving any definite information as to his whereabouts. Early last night a message was received from a lady on Carolina Beach stating that she had found him and was taking care of him, and asked the police to notify the anxious parents.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: G. W. Linder and wife to Isaac B. Rhodes, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on east side of Seventh, 143 feet north of Orange street, 33x132 feet in size, with right-of-way over alley adjoining; O. F. Corbett and wife to Frank George and wife, for $10 and other considerations, 10 acres of land on Middle Sound, Harnett township, adjoining lands of Geo. Smith, David Loftin and others.

Wilmington Produce Company.

The stockholders of the Wilmington Produce Co., recently chartered by the Secretary of State, met yesterday and formally organized by the election of Mr. J. W. Brooks, president; Mr. O. A. Durant, vice president; Mr. B. F. King, secretary and treasurer; Mr. Coy Hewett, manager, and Mr. G. P. Holder, assistant manager. The company has already begun business with excellent prospects at northeast corner of Water and Dock streets.

Something Missing.

When Irving wanted to be nasty he could be, remarked an old Lyceum hand once. His patience with the rank and file was extraordinary, but where a rebuke was deserved Irving's biting sarcasm was quite up to the occasion.

There was in one production a super who, though he had only a couple of lines to speak, made his entrance in such a way as to lead one to believe he was sustaining the leading role, and his behavior to his fellow actors was equally unwarrantable. Irving soon got on the track of this man and ran him to earth at rehearsal. In due time the super entered, haughtily saying:

"My lord, the carriage is waiting."

"Let's have it louder," said Irving.

The man repeated it in a louder tone, whereupon Sir Henry demanded that it should be repeated again still louder. Yet again did he make the super repeat it, and louder still, and yet again was the same demand made. The man was becoming enraged and at last shrieked out the words.

"Very good," said Sir Henry, "very good, indeed, but couldn't you just manage to put a shade of temper into it?"—Pearson's.

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It is not always that the inhabitants of a thinly populated district can have a bridge located at the most convenient point for them. At times ingenuity supplies the need in a novel manner. Visitors to New Zealand have seen this illustrated in the queer little trolley bridges that the people of that country call "cages" and regard as quite commonplace. The chief requisite is a stout wire rope stretched across the stream and anchored firmly on each bank. Upon this rope wheels run. From them is suspended a box or basket fastened so as to be perfectly safe. When a person wishes to cross the stream he seats himself in the "cage," takes hold of a pull rope fastened to the other bank and nonchalantly draws himself across. The "cage" may then be drawn back to the other shore by the end of the pull rope fastened there.—Oregon Journal.

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Little Bifferton—Very careless of me, I'm sure. I wondered what became of it, and—would it be too much trouble to ask you to return it?—Liverpool Mercury.

The Swine or the Flower?

Ah me! I saw a huge and loathsome sty,
Wherein a drove of wallowing swine were barred,
Whose banquet shocked the nostril and the eye;
Then spoke a voice, "Behold the source of lard!"
I fled, and saw a field that seemed at first
One glistening mass of roses pure and white,
With dewy buds 'mid dark green foliage nursed;
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